THE WEATHER.

Generally fair Friday and probably Saturday, moderate to fresh northwest winds diminishing.

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NEW WEAPON FOR FIGHTING TRUSTS

Attorney General Hopes It Will be Enacted Into Law by Congress

MANAGE TO EVADE LAW NOW

Wickersham Proving Himself a Benefactor—Corporations Just a Step Ahead of Federal Prosecution—Details.

Washington, March 30.—A new weapon is being forged out of the government's experiences in dealing with monopolies of trade and combinations of capital, which, it was learned today, Attorney General Wickersham hopes to present to Congress in the belief that it will be incorporated into law. Just what shape this proposed legislation will take Mr. Wickersham has not made known. Under the present laws the Department of Justice on several occasions has found that the statutes have become obsolete while litigation was being brought to a final decision.

Combinations of all kinds through processes of reorganization have managed to keep just a step ahead of Federal prosecution and in many cases the work of the Department of Justice, therefore, has not always been as completely effective as was desired. The Attorney General told one of his callers today that he considered the situation the greatest economic problem before the world; that so-called unlawful combinations had grown far faster than the law, and that the anti-trust statutes of the present time cannot hope to keep pace with all the conditions they are expected to remedy.

With a view to meeting the problem as it exists today and as it promises to develop, the Attorney General is giving the subject deep study. Within the next few months may take place the most important steps toward regulation of combinations and monopolies since the passage of the Sherman law.

Several instances of alleged combinations which the Department of Justice has been powerless to attack because there was no law applicable to them, have been brought to the attention of the Attorney General. Prominent among them is the so-called "money-trust" in New York. It was pointed out that where a year ago the great financial interests of New York, commonly were classified into three groups, they now are popularly known as one.

The New York Clearing House Association recently had unofficial notification that Attorney General Wickersham's attention had been called to its methods of business. The association engaged James M. Beck, a former assistant attorney general, and other New York attorneys, to present an informal statement of its methods to the Department of Justice. When all was finished, the attorneys understood tacitly at least, that there was apparently nothing in the business of the New York Clearing House Association which could be construed as coming under any of the laws now on the statute books.

Practically the same thing took place with the New Orleans Association last Winter.

Nevertheless, the Department of Justice regarde with some concern the concentration of banking capital in New York.

PINEHURST GOLF EVENTS.

Travis and Evans Conspicuous Figures at the Match.

Pinehurst, N. C., March 30.—With Walter J. Travis, of Garden City, and Charles Evans, Jr., of Edgewater, the two most conspicuous figures in American golf brought together as the result of the draw interest in today's first round match play of the 11th annual United North and South Golf championship, has never been equalled here. A gallery of fully 500 people followed the contest throughout.

On his way out, Travis made the turn in 41 to 37 for Evans and four down. Coming in, Travis lost the match on the 16th, four five, a brilliant recovery by Evans on a pulled shot, which landed in the rough making the edge of the green and his approach putt dead.

National Champion Fownes won a close match from I. S. Robeson, of Rochester, the last four holes being halved and the 18th deciding in Mr. Fownes' favor, one up.

REWARDS OFFERED.

Governor Takes Notice of Duplin Assault and Cox Murder.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Raleigh, N. C., March 30.—Governor Kitchin offers $200 reward for the capture of the negro, Ernest Mathews, who criminally assaulted the daughter of John W. Judge, near Hallsville, Duplin county, March 6th. He also offers $100 reward for Marshall A. Wood, who murdered Dr. John L. Cox, in Lee county, March 13th, the murder being an especially atrocious one, so D. E. McIver advises the Governor in asking for the reward to be offered. Dr. Cox was 70 years old.

"The Rosary."

Sung by Mr. Farnk Henry—Grand Theatre today. **

GERMAN SCORNS ARBITRATION

Declares Movement of United States and Great Britain Impossible of Realization—Criticism in the Reichstag.

Berlin, March 30.—Discussing the proposed extension of international arbitration in the Reichstag today, Chancellor Von Bethmann-Hollweg classed universal arbitration and universal disarmament as ideals impossible of realization.

"The nations, including Germany," said the chancellor, "have been talking disarmament since the first Hague conference, but neither in Germany nor elsewhere has a practical plan been proposed. Great Britain wishes the limitation of armaments, but simultaneously wants a superior or equal fleet. Any conference on this subject is bound to be fruitless. No standard for a limitation can be found, and any conceivable proposal would be shattered on the question of control."

He accepted the idea of arbitration in principle, but universal arbitration was as impossible of accomplishment as universal disarmament. By this principle two nations like the United States and Great Britain could seal the de facto status, but if any questions arose arbitration might prove inadequate.

Count Von Kanitz, conservative, devoted the greater part of his speech to American affairs, contrasting the speech of Commander William S. Sims, of the American Navy, at the Guild Hall, London, which called forth a reprimand from President Taft, with the utterances of Congressman Champ Clark, concerning the annexation of Canada, saying:

"While an American naval officer is assuring England of the friendships of the United States, a future President of that nation is talking of the absorption of Canada."

LANDS FOR FOREST RESERVES.

Tracks in the Appalachian and White Mountain Regions.

Washington, March 30.—Both the large and small tracts of lands in the Appalachian and White Mountain regions will be considered for purchase by the United States to be turned into water sheds. Lands held out to obtain exorbitant prices, it is announced, will not be considered.

In describing the class of lands wanted, the circular says that those containing timber, the government will purchase both the land and the timber, or with timber reserved to the owner, cut over or culled lands; brush or burned lands not bearing merchantable timber and abandoned farm lands and also mineral lands, in which the owner may reserve the right to remove the deposits. Good agricultural land, however, will not be considered.

Areas within which proposals will be invited have been divided as follows:

White Mountain area, New Hampshire and Maine; Youghiogheny area, Maryland; Potomac area, Virginia and West Virginia; Monongahela area, West Virginia; Massanutten Mountain and Natural Bridge areas, Virginia; White Top area, Tennessee and Virginia; Yadkin and Mount Mitchell areas, North Carolina; Smokey Mountain and Nantahala areas, North Carolina and Tennessee; Pisgah area, North Carolina, and Savannah area, Georgia and South Carolina.

Counties within which proposals are requested are: Georgia, Habersham and White; North Carolina: Lands in Wilkes, Caldwell, Watauga, Buncombe, Yancy, McDowell, Mitchell, Haywood, Swain, Jackson Henderson, Transylvania, Macon, Clay Cherokee, and Graham; South Carolina: lands in Oconee; Tennessee: lands in Johnson, Cocke, Sevier, Blount and Monroe; Virginia: lands in Shenandoah, Rockingham, Warren, Page, Northern Bedford, Botetourt, Rock Bridge, Washington, Smyth, Grayson and Wythe; West Virginia: Pendleton, Hardy, Randolph and Pocahontas.

PAUL SLOCOMB DEAD.

Passed Away Yesterday in Fayetteville—Famous Athlete Once.

Fayetteville, N. C., March 30.—Paul R. Slocomb, aged 36, a graduate of St. John's College, and a famous college athlete, died here today at noon, at the home of his parents, Col. and Mrs. A. H. Slocomb. Finishing at St. John's Mr. Slocomb went to Alabama and engaged in the naval stores business but his health began to fail and he traveled extensively in Mexico and South America with the hope that the climate would benefit him. He is survived by his parents, three brothers, Messrs. W. H., F. W., and A. H. Slocomb; four sisters, Mrs. Neil Emerson, of Wilmington; Mrs. Ben McMillan, and Misses Marion and Helen Slocomb, of Fayetteville; also two children, Albert Haven and Paul. The funeral will be held from St. John's Episcopal church tomorrow afternoon at 5 o'clock.

BROWN FORCED TO PAY.

American Must Pay Income Tax in England.

London, March 30.—M. Bayard Brown, partner in the banking house of Brown, Shipley & Company, who lives in retirement on his yacht at Brightlingsea, was today ordered by the courts to pay a $50,000 income tax. Brown claimd exemption from the operation of the law on the ground that his income came from the United States, but the court held that although he was an American citizen he was a resident of the United Kingdom.

You can't vote in the primary and election in Wilmington unless you register anew. Books now open. Last call!

DECISION REFERS TO BUCKET SHOPS

Complete Failure of Legislation in the District of Columbia

LINE WAS DRAWN TOO TIGHT

Decision of Justice Wright in District Supreme Court—Attorney General Says Case Will Go to Higher Court.

Washington, March 30.—An attempt by Congress to so closely define the offense of "bucket shopping" as to make it impracticable in the District of Columbia, has resulted in the complete failure of the legislation on the ground of constitutionality. Justice Wright, in the District Supreme Court today decided that the act referred to constituted an unwarrantable interference with the right of a person to enter into contract and was therefore unconstitutional.

The particular point of objection was that a person giving an order to a broker for a stock transaction, without the intent of dealing in margins, might be held to have violated the law if the broker without the knowledge of the client, secretly made the transaction one of margin without the actual basis of a transfer of stock.

The statute is of local application only and does not necessarily affect the actions which the Department of Justice has begun at many other points against alleged bucketshop operators, for the prosecution in those cases has been under the postal laws on the plain ground of fraud.

The decision was rendered in the case of Edward Altemas, of Jersey City, and Louis and Angelo Cella, of St. Louis, who operated a so-called bucket shop under the title of the Standard Stock & Grain Co. With 26 others they were indicted for conspiracy in operating a chain of bucketshops, one of which was located in Washington. While six of these pleaded guilty and were fined in sums aggregating $8,100, the remainder decided to fight the matter.

The movements of the government leading up to the indictments were shrouded in the greatest secrecy. On April 2, 1910, however, when indictments were obtained, raids on "shops" in seven cities were made simultaneously, wires were cut and customers were thrown into panic. Since then, according to Attorney General Wickersham, "bucket shopping" has become a thing of the past east of Denver.

The government announced today its intention to appeal from Justice Wright's decision. The Attorney General, when informed of the finding, declared he would carry the question to the Supreme Court of the United States if necessary, for he is anxious to have the matter determined in order that the department may proceed with further prosecutions along the same line if the law is upheld.

SEVERAL GIANTS LICKED.

Brewster Distinguished Himself at Atlanta Yesterday.

Atlanta, Ga., March 30.—Erskine Brewster, the man with the "fog horn voice" distinguished himself at Ponce de Leon ball park this afternoon by giving several of the New York Giants a near licking. Involving in the row was "Muggsy" McGraw, Christy Mathewson, "Chief" Myers, Bridwell and others.

The squabble grew out of remarks hurled at the players today by Brewster. The latter was practicing with the Atlanta team today when McGraw attempted to remonstrate with the rooter. While they were talking Mathewson, it is claimed, grabbed Brewster from behind and the latter by a quick twist, sent the mighty Matty over his head to sprawl full length on the ground. Myers came running up in time to get a stiff blow in the face. Other members of the New York squad broke into the fracas and Brewster was getting a good drubbing when some of the Atlanta players made their appearance with bats in their hands. The bats didn't look good and the trouble quickly subsided.

WELDON POLICEMAN HELD.

Charged With Causing Death of Old Citizen.

Weldon, N. C., March 30.—On a bench warrant issued by Presiding Judge J. S. Adams, of the Halifax Supreme Court, Chief of Police S. M. Dickens and his brother, Policeman Lonny Dickens, both of Weldon, were arrested and taken before the court today to answer to the charge of assaulting and causing the death of George Jones, an old citizen, whose friends say he was inoffensive. Judge Adams held the chief under $5,000 bail and his brother under $2,500 bond for the next term of court. The arrest caused a big sensation and the court room was crowded.

E. P. Bailey.

Wants the vote of every man who stands for a better and bigger Wilmington. 2t.

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ADVANCEMENT OF NEGRO RACE

Survey of Work of National Association at Boston—New York Publisher Makes Plea for Colored People—Oppression.

Boston, Mass., March 30.—A survey of the work that is being done by the National Association for the advancement of the colored people was given at the annual conference of the association here today by Oswald Garrison Villard, a New York newspaper publisher, who is chairman of the executive committee of the association. Mr. Villard in the beginning of his address stated that the association was organized because the situation of the negro in the United States called for a strong militant organization to defend his rights and forward his causes.

Continuing, the speaker said: "There can be no doubt that a wave of color hysteria is sweeping over the country. The road of the aspiring colored man or woman becomes more and more difficult; he is abused for his low associations. Let him seek to rise above that, and what happens? Despite the fact that he has for years been told that if he acquires property and buys himself a house, all will be well with him and his family, if he does so in a section of a city, whether it be New York, Seattle, Baltimore or Richmond, in which he may assure to his children good associations, pure air and clean streets, he is assailed as if his presence there meant the bringing in of a taint worse than leprosy, and the laws are invoked against him.

"In Southern cities, the public libraries are closed in the face of the colored man, who would make himself a useful, law-abiding and valuable citizen. His wife may be ill and desire the aid of Northern surgeons. If so, she must travel in a day coach, and is denied in some States a Pullman berth, and by the son of Abraham—even though it may cost her her life—as it did in one case in which we know.

"The labor unionists, some socialists, even some Jews, who ought in all conscience to realize what oppression means and the wickedness of attempts to hold down a race would withold a helping hand to the colored man and thereby mock the teachings of Christianity."

Former Attorney General Charles J. Bonaparte, of Baltimore, Governor Foss, of Massachusetts, Justice Wendell P. Stafford, of Washington, D. C.; Rabbi Stephen Swise, of New York, and others are expected to address the association tomorrow evening.

ALASKAN ROAD COMPLETE.

Trains Will be in Operation Within Two Days.

Cordova, Alaska, March 30.—The last spike completing the Copper River & Northwestern Railroad between Cordova on tidewater and Kennecott where the Bonanza Copper mountain is situated, was driven today. Trains will be in operation over the entire line within two days and the first ore will be shipped from Kennecott for the Tacoma smelter on Monday or Tuesday next.

Work on the railroad, which is 197 miles long, and cost $20,000,000, was begun November 15, 1907. The railroad is owned by the Alaska syndicate, popular known as the Guggenheim-Morgan syndicate, which also owns the Alaska Steamship Company and copper mines. Construction of the road was one of the most remarkable engineering feats of modern times.

SUING KNIGHT, YANCEY CO.

Another Action Against Failed Alabama Concern.

Birmingham, Ala., March 30.—A suit for $98,005.50 filed against J. W. Knight and W. S. Lovell, trustees in bankruptcy for the firm of Knight, Yancey & Co., by New York and German cotton dealers, was added today to the mass of litigation pending in connection with this firm's failure. It is alleged by complainants that 7,800 bales of cotton, seized in various Southern cities, had been paid for and never received by them.

OUTLINES.

Attorney General Wickersham has more proposed legislation for fighting the trusts which he hopes will be enacted into law by Congress. The need of more rigid laws is explained by the Attorney General——Workmen yesterday began to search the ruins of the New York State library, and it is believed that the loss of valuable books and records will not be as heavy as first supposed——The reorganization of the Southern Car Co. was announced yesterday at High Point. The concern has large interests in North and South Carolina——The legislation regarding "bucket shopping" in the District of Columbia has completely failed, a decision to this effect being rendered yesterday. The case will probably be carried to the Supreme Court——Several new records were made in the auto races near Jacksonville, Fla., yesterday——New York markets: Money on call, steady, at 2 1-4 to 2 3-4 cents; ruling rate, 2 3-8; closing bid, 2 1-4; offered at 2 3-8. Cotton, spot, closed quiet; middling uplands, 1445; middling gulf, 14.70. Flour, quiet and unsettled. Wheat, spot, irregular; No. 2, red, 93 1-8, elevator, and 93 3-8 f.o.b. afloat. Corn, spot, steady; export, No. 2, 52, f.o.b., afloat. Oats, spot, steady; standard white, 36 1-2. Turpentine, steady.

RUINS AT ALBANY BEING SEARCHED

Wreck of State's Library Not as Complete as Was First Supposed

BIG TASK BEFORE WORKMEN

Legislature Appropriates $100,000 to Clear Away Debris—Unable to Find Night Watchman's Body—Features.

Albany, N. Y., March 30.—More than one hundred workmen attacked the still smoking ruins left by the fire in the west end of the State capitol this afternoon and soon discovered that the wreck of the State's magnificent library was not as complete as at first was supposed.

Buried under tons of stone lay thousands of books that can be preserved by re-binding and many that escaped unscratched. The salvage may amount to many thousands of dollars.

Records of the war of 1812 were found intact and the custodians hope other valuable relics may be discovered in a state of possible preservation. The work of clearing away the debris promises to prove an enormous and expensive task. A bill introduced in the Legislature today appropriates $100,000 for this purpose alone.

Occasionally the debris in this ruined State library bursts into flames as the workmen admit the air to smouldering masses of books and papers, but the whole interior is so soaked with water that no danger is feared.

Governor Dix issued special orders today to the workmen to make every effort to find the body of Samuel J. Abbott, the aged night watchman, who is believed to have perished in the State library. Mr. Abbott's son spent a good part of the day with the gangs at work in the ruins of the library.

The unsettled United States senatorship situation leaves in doubt the question of temporary quarters for the Legislature. If the legislators elect a senator tomorrow they may take a recess for a week or more, leaving the matter of quarters open until they return.

COCA-COLA HEARING.

Deposition of Knoxville Druggist Read Yesterday — No Harm.

Chattanooga, Tenn., March 30.—A deposition from D. J. C. Gooding, a Knoxville druggist, was read in today's session of the trial of the coca-cola case. The deponent stated that he had been selling coca-cola for over 18 years and that he made it a business to refuse to sell more than one gass of the beveridge to a customer at one time.

The reason is the same as that he would refuse to give two doses of laudanum or morphine to a customer.

Dr. H. A. Hare, of Philadelphia, testified that he had written several medical books and was one of the authors of the pharmacopaeia. He declared that he took one to four grains of the pure caffeine a day regularly aside from two or three cups of coffee and that he drank from one to four glasses of coca-cola each day. He said that he did not discover any harmful effects and that caffeine was not a poison and not a habit-forming drug.

Being confronted with his book he admitted that he had written that caffeine affects the nerves and would make people nervous. He admitted also that he had written in his book that a brain driven along by caffeine ultimately would break down in concentration in a single effort. He stat that persistent use of caffeine would cause such delirium as that resulting from the use of alcohol.

TORNADO AT GAINESVILLE, ALA.

Practically Wiped Out the Town—Wreck and Ruin.

Mobile, Ala., March 30.—Gainesville, Ala., was practically wiped out by the tornado that swept through Monroe county Monday, according to belated news that reached here today. The cyclone cut a path of ruin 200 feet wide through the settlement. There were no casualties there, but many persons were hurt by flying timbers from wrecked houses. The reports tell of tremendous property damage. Fields were swept clean of new and growing crops, forests were levelled, while hundreds of farm buildings were torn down by the threshing winds. The area of the storm swept is remote from railroad and telegraphic communication.

Greensboro, N. C., March 30.—Ia-Fayette and Guilford opened the baseball season here today with a 7 to 4 victory for the Pennsylvanians.

Wouldn't you entrust the city government to young men who have made good in commercial life? Then vote for E. P. Bailey—Fourth Ward. 2t.

"The Rosary."

Sung by Mr. Farnk Henry—Grand Theatre today. **

NORFOLK-WILMINGTON TRAIN

Corporation Commission Still Tied Up Over Matter of Train Service. People Impatient With Delay—State Banks.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Raleigh, N. C., March 30.—There having been some important developments in matters bearing on the contest before the Corporation Commission as to the question of requiring the Atlantic Coast Line to extend the run of the Norfolk-Goldsboro shoo-fly to Wilmington so as to give additional train service for the Goldsboro-Wilmington territory, it is expected that it may be some little time yet before the Commission will make its ruling in the matter which has been pending for nearly three months.

The effort is to provide for Wilmington a much needed early morning train on the Wilmington and Weldon road to Goldsboro for Western and Northern connections. A phase of the case that appeals especially to Raleigh is that a citizen could come from Wilmington on a train that would leave there around 4 A. M. and reach here at 8:30, spend the entire day until 6:30 and get back to Wilmington before midnight. There would be proportionately long stays for people coming from the East on business with Durham, Greensboro and other points West. The action of the Commission on this matter is being awaited now with very great interest to say nothing of considerable impatience, particularly in the Goldsboro-Wilmington territory.

In Wake Superior Court this morning Emma Green, alias "Rev. Mack," was convicted of kidnapping the infant child of Adam Avare, a well known negro here. Judge Whedbee has reserved sentence until later in the term. The woman went to the Avare home and induced a 12-year-old girl there with the infant to go to a near-by store for her and when the girl returned the woman and infant were gone. The father of the child devoted a couple of months to tracing the woman, finally locating her with his child in Roanoke, Va. Her arrest and extradition followed. She was posing as a sort of "holiness preacher" among the negroes.

The summary of the condition of North Carolina State banks just issued by the Corporation Commission shows total resources $63,594,450 and an increase of $170,510 in capital stock; $182,205 in total resources and $114,147 increase in total deposits during the past three months. The number of banks has increased during that time from 350 to 353. The statement just issued is based on reports of condition of banks March 7th. The deposits at that time were; time certificates of deposits, $7,004,013; deposits subject to check, $28,900,742; demand certificates of deposit, $3,014,222; savings deposits, $7,885,743. The total capital stock is $9,200,757; surplus, $2,162,742; undivided profits $2,013,248. In connection with the statement of resources interesting features are: Loans and discounts, $44,887,159; overdrafts $526523; United States bonds, $10,900, and North Carolina bonds $263,500, all other stocks, bonds and mortgages, $1,363,418; banking houses and furniture $1,827,555.

BIG CONTRACT LANDED.

Charlotte Firm Will Build New Line Out of Winston.

Charlotte, N. C., March 30.—To build, complete the proposed interurban line between Winston-Salem and Floyd, Va., a distance of 102 miles, the Propst Contracting Company of this city has secured a contract from the North Carolina Traction Company.

Approximately $2,000,000 is involved in the contract, and in the expenditures to follow another million dollars wil be used for equipment, etc.

Opening up a new territory now without railroad facilities the line that is to connect North Carolina and Virginia is a matter of more than passing interest. The contract awarded the Charlotte firm is the largest one ever handled in the two States.

Through the territory to be traversed there is a fortune, it is said, in virgin timber, such as oak, poplar, walnut, hickory and pine. There is on the survey a tract of coal deposits of 30,000 acres and immense rich iron ore deposits that were once worked some years ago when the Virginia and Southwestern Railroad and the Virginia Iron, Coal & Coke Company first started operations.

AVIATOR'S LONG FLIGHT.

Flies From Augusta to Aiken With His Wife.

Augusta, Ga., March 30.—In a high wind that unrooted trees, Aviator Frank Coffyn, accompanied by his young wife, made a flight of more than 28 miles from Augusta to Aiken, S. C., in 41 minutes, today to keep a breakfast appointment with friends.

No woman in America, under weather conditions of any sort, has ever made a flight of this length. It was found impossible to take a straight course because of the direction of the wind.

STEAMER IN TROUBLE.

Fimreite Bound From This Port Hauled Off Rocks.

New York, March 30.—After the night spent with her keel resting on the shoals off Fort Hamilton, above the Narrows, the Norwegian freight steamer, Fimreite, from Wilmington N. C., was hauled off into deep water shortly before 9 o'clock this morning by the revenue cutter Mohawk. The Fimreite ran aground during the heavy storm. Capt. Morsten does not believe the steamer is badly damaged.

BIG CAR FACTORY AT HIGH POINT, N. C.

Duke Interests Behind Giant Corporation Being Formed in Carolina

SHOPS OF SOUTHERN POWER

Said They Will Also be Located In Piedmont City—Some of Those Interested—Real Estate Purchased.

High Point, N. C., March 30.—Negotiations which have been in progress for several months looking to the re-organization of the Southern Car Company and the infusion of large Northern capital have been consummated.

J. B. Duke, head of the American Tobacco Company, and the Southern Power Company, which has recently begun the construction of an extensive interurban trolley system in this section, and W. G. Brokaw, the New York millionaire, are the leading spirits in the re-organized corporations. Others are Abraham Cook and R. W. Morrison, both of whom have been associated with the St. Louis Car combination for many years.

The capital stock will be adequately increased and the plant will be made the largest car factory east of the Mississippi river. In line with these plans the concern has already closed options on considerable adjoining real estate upon which additions to the plant will be erected.

The concern proposes building every class of electric car in use. Its product is already in use by many Southern street railway systems. Coupled with the re-organization of the corporation by the Duke interests comes the report that the main shops of the Southern Power Company's inter-urban line will oe located in this city, the central point, practically between Greenwood, S. C., and Durham, N. C., the terminals of the line now building.

THE DEATH LIST GROWS.

Anoher Girl Injured in Fire Horror Dies in New York.

New York, March 30.—The death today of Sarah Kupla, a 16-year-old girl, who jumped from the eighth floor of the Asch building during Saturday's horror, brought the list of victims up to a total of 144. The gril's back was broken and she had been unconscious ever since the fatal leap.

The identification of another girl's body by a strange arrangement of buttons on her shoe brought the list of unnamed down to 14.

There seems little chance of further identification and the charities board has made arrangements to bury them in the cemetery of the Evergreens, in a plot owend by the city.

Assistants of the district attorney's office and Fire Marshal Peers who are conducting investigations into the disaster besides visiting the Asch building today further examined survivors.

Contributions to the relief fund totalled more than $58,000 tonight.

New York, March 30.—An aged woman, who said she was the mother of Annie Colletti, one of the fire victims, told the coroner tonight that when her daughter's body was returned from the morgue for burial $1,600, which she says the young woman had sewed in her skirt, was missing. She explained that her daughter was afraid to trust banks and always carried large sums of money on her person.

Announcement was made tonight by the corporation counsel's office that judgments were obtained by the city today in a municipal court in 64 cases of violation of the building codes and tenement house laws. In 44 cases fines of $250 were imposed.

BUYS THOMASVILLE COMPANY

Light and Power Company Sold to Big Concern.

Thomasville, March 30.—Wednesday Mr. Z. V. Taylor representing the Southern Power Company bought the stock of the Thomasville Light & Power Company which was owned by Mr. Frank H. Fleer and Mr. B. F. T. Bryant. After the transfer of the stock the following officers were elected: Mr. Z. V. Taylor, president; Mr. L. C. Harrison, vice president; Mr. Marshall, secretary and treasurer. Board of directors composed of the above officers and Mr. W. S. Lee. Mr. B. F. W. Bryant was elected local manager and will be in charge of the new company to give Thomasville the very best electrical service. The above action is thought to mean that another step toward securing the interurban line through Thomasville has been made which when accomplished will mean more for Thomasville and this entire section than anything that possibly could happen.

Interchangeable mileage and exchange tickets sold at uptown office of Seaboard Air Line, at The Orton Hotel. 3t.

The Very Latest

pictures, songs and music—Grand Theatre today. **

GAMES IN THE SOUTH.

Big League Teams Playing in Southern Cities.

Atlanta, March 30.—Two hits were all that could be accummulated by the Atlanta batters from the New York Giants this afternoon while the visitors rolled up a total of sixteen hits for eleven runs, winning the game 11 to 0. The game went seven innings by agreement.

Baltimore, March 30.—The Baltimore Eastern League team today easily defeated the first team of the Philadelphia Nationals, 5 to 2. The visitor's two runs were the result of two bases on balls, a hit batsman and two errors.

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Dygert, Renefer, Vickers and Eagan; Stack, Brennan and Dooin.

Oak Ridge and A. C. C.

Oak Ridge, N. C., March 30.—In a six-inning game here today with Atlantic Christian College, Oak Ridge crossed the rubber 13 times while the visitors failed to score. Oak Ridge knocked out Abernathy in the third inning, getting a home run and two triples. Manning, who succeeded him couldn't stop the hitting. Davis, for Oak Ridge, allowed but one hit. Graham, Holt and Mayberry starred at the bat, Graham getting a home run with the bases full. Rain stopped the game in the sixth. Batteries: Oak Ridge, Davis and Holt; A. C. College, Abernathy, Manning and Moore. Score:

Oak Ridge	13	10	0
A. C. College	0	1	4

New Orleans, March 30.—The Cleveland first team bunched four hits in the fourth and three in the sixth inning today, scoring enough to down the locals 5 to 1. LaJoie, as usual, did the batting.

Columbia, S. C., March 30.—The Boston Nationals hit the ball hard today and defeated Columbia 11 to 1 in unpleasant high winds and low temperature.

Augusta, Ga., March 30.—In a game featured by the costly errors of the locals and the slugging of the visitors, the second division of the New York Americans today defeated the tourists of the Sally League by the score of 12 to 7.

Hot Springs, Ark., March 30.—The pitchers for both the Pittsburg Nationals and the second team were hit hard and freely in the practice game between those teams here today. First team 13; second team 9.

AMERICANS HELD PRISONERS

Names of Foreigners Captured In Mexico Battle Given.

El Paso, Texas, March 30.—Colonel Samuel Garcia Ceullar has given the names of foreigners captured in the battle of Casas Grandes. Among them are "Sidney Severs, care of B. E. Severs, 357 West 115th street, New York."

The message has just been received dated Casas Grandes, Mexico, in response to a message sent earlier in the week by the Associated Press to Colonel Samuel Garcia Ceullar asking him to give the names.

The message was as follows:

"Associated Press: The names and addresses of the foreign prisoners, who were captured by the Federal troops, in the fight of the sixth of March are as follows:

"Ferdinand Leber, Maine-on-the Rhine, Germany; Fred O'Berbuscher, Engleswirscher, Germany; Joe Murry, care Thomas Lowrey, 341 East 43rd street, New York; J. W. Graham, Oklahoma City, Rural Route No. 1; R. P. Lee, McKitrick, California; John Harrison, care Richard Patter, Del Rio, Texas; C. H. Rice, 1742 Bush street, San Francisco, Cal.; William Current, Elick, Okla, Box 42; Bruce Robert Jacoby, 2016 North C. Avenue, Minneapolis, Minn.; Alfred Franke, 504 Stafford street, Santa Ana, Cal.; James H. Jones, Duluth, Minn.; Floyd O. Martin, 950 Navajo street, Denver, Colo.; C. Carlton, Williams, Ariz.; F. C. Fowler, 2845 South Jennings Avenue, Fort Worth, Texas."

(Correct) S. GARCIA CUELLAR.

New York, March 30.—B. Severs, a well-to-do business man, and father of Sidney Severs, who was captured by Mexican Federals in the battle of Casas Grandes, was greatly perturbed when he learned tonight of his son's plight. Young Severs is a cowboy, his father said, 20 years old. He had made his home in Texas for several years, but paid his parents here a visit last Christmas.

CHRISTIAN ENDEAVORERS.

Annual Convention Begins Today at Burlington, N. C.—Delegates.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Burlington, N. C., March 30.—The annual convention of the Young People's Society of Christian Endeavor which opens here tomorrow afternoon will bring together young people representing eleven denominations in North Carolina in which Christian Endeavor Societies have been organized. The inter-denominational fellowship which prevails in the conventions is a feature of great helpfulness. There are more than 150 societies in the State and a total membership beyond 3,500. One of the largest in the State Union is that of St. Andrew's Presbyterian church at Wilmington. This society has held the "Increase Banner" for the past three years and is making special effort to keep it for another year. The banner was made in Spain, the handsome embroidery having been done by Spanish Christian Endeavorers and it was presented to the North Carolina State Union during the International Convention held in Baltimore in 1905, having been awarded for the large proportionate increase in this State between 1903 and 1905. The banner is a piece of very handsome handwork and is prized very highly by the State Union. It is awarded from year to year at the State convention to the society showing the largest increase in membership and advancement along several lines of work.

The sessions of the convention will be held in the Christian Church and all denominations in the community will entertain delegates in their homes. Denominational lines are forgotten in the cordial hospitality extended to the delegates.

Prof. W. A. Harper, of Elon College, is president of the State Union, while there is a vice president for each denomination represnted. A very pleasant and profitable meeting is anticipated here.

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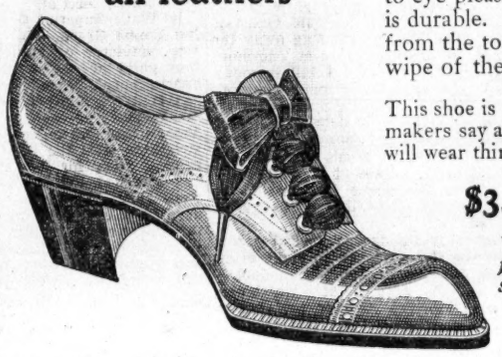

It is impossible to beat the Craddock Shoe for style and for the varieties of good styles in this line. It is impossible to find a truer foot form or more comfortable shoes. Other shoes have style, and still others have comfort, but in addition to eye pleasing and foot pleasing qualities the Craddock Shoe is durable. It is honest in every department of shoe making from the tough old-method-tanned steer's hide sole to the last wipe of the finishing cloth.

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DAY OF CAMMORISTS TRIAL.

Informers Still Remain on Stand — Further Revelations.

Viterbo, Italy, March 30.—According to the revelations of Abbatemaggio, who is appearing as a witness against his former associates in their trial for murder, Naples is divided into 14 Cammorist regions, each having its Cammorist hierarchy. In each district a member of the organization is daily entrusted with the maintenance of order among those affiliated with the Cammora. His powers and influence are greater than those of the police or Carabineers, as he is expected to denounce those who commit disorders and thus compromise the associations, which is destined for more important enterprises.

The entire afternoon was taken up by evidence submitted by Abbatemaggio at the various investigations the counsel for the defense endeavoring to trip him into contradictions, but the witness maintained his composuse and gave a good account of himself.

Abbatemaggio said that shortly after the murder of Cuoccolo when he was in the company of Giovanni Rappi, the alleged treasurer of the Cammora he met the priest Vitozso who suggested that Erricone, so that he might be suspected, be put away, in order to give the police impression that he was a frequenter of the place. It was in this inn that the report of the murder of Cuoccolo is alleged to have been communicated to Erricone.

Vitozzi, on hearing this statement by the witness, raised his hands and eyes, and with a horrified expression, exclaimed, turning towards the prisoners cage: "If I had ever suspected that Erircone was stained with such a monstrous crime I would have delivered him myself to justice, saying to him, 'bear the burden of you sins.'

The tone of his voice was so melodramatic that all burst into laughter. Rapi appearing even more amused than the others.

Abbatemaggio swore that Vitozzi was an active member of the Cammora, that he frequented the meetings of the organization dressed as a layman and was particularly aggressive in helping to carry out the Cammorist schemes.

NAVAL AVIATION SCHOOL.

Will Probably be Established at Annapolis Soon.

Washington, March 30.—In order to form a corps of competent aviators for the navy, thus recognizing that the flying machine will be a factor in future warfare, an aviation school probably will be established at Annapolis by the Navy Department this Summer. Lieutenant T. G. Ellyson, an expert, who for several months past has been receiving instruction in the operation of aeroplanes at San Diego, Cal., will be one of the instructors at the school according to the present plans.

"Foley's Honey and Tar is the best cough remedy I ever used as it quickly stopped a severe cough that had long troubled me," says J. W. Kuhn, Princeton, Neb. Just so quickly and surely it acts in all cases of coughs, colds, lagrippe and lung trouble. Refuse substitutes.—Robt. R. Bellamy.

JAIL DELIVERY AT GREENSBORO.

Six Negroes Sawed Their Way to Liberty Yesterday.

Greensboro, N. C., March 30.—Six negroes made their escape from the Guilford county jail early this morning by sawing an inch rod of Bessemer steel with a spring taken from the bottom of a shoe and by digging through an 18-inch brick wall with a 50-inch steel bed slat. The negroes in escaping from their cages crawled through a 9x12-inch hole made by sawing the steel rod. The jailer discovered the escape when he made his usual rounds at 7 o'clock this morning.

The leader of the gang was George Sherrill, an ex-convict, who was brought to the jail some five weeks ago with a leg full of buckshot received when he was captured and he had complained continually of the pain, his complaints being especially noticeable on yesterday. None of the prisoners have been re-taken.

Berlin, March 30.—The International six-day bicycle race which ended here tongiht was won by Walter Rutt and John Stol, the German-Dutch team, who covered 3,406 kilometers, (2,118 miles). Floyd MacFarland and James Moran, the American team were second about a third of a mile behind.

PRIMARY ELECTION.

Notice is hereby given that there will be a primary election in the City of Wilmington on Tuesday, April 18th, 1911, for the nomination of candidates for the office of councilmen, as provided for in an act of the General Assembly of North Carolina, Session of 1911, entitled "An Act to Amend the Charter of the City of Wilmington."

The First Ward has been divided into two election precincts, as follows: Precinct No. 1. That part of the First Ward lying south of Atlantic Coast Line Railroad; Precinct No. 2. That part of the First Ward lying north of Atlantic Coast Line Railroad.

The Fifth Ward has been divided into two precincts, as follows: Precinct No. 1. That part of Fifth Ward lying east of Fifth street; Precinct No. 2. That part of Fifth Ward lying west of Fifth street.

The polling places and election officers for the said election shall be as follows:

First Ward.

Precinct No. 1.—Engine House, Fourth and Campbell streets. Wm. Sheehan, Registrar; P. J. Breen and Geo. M. Grant, Judges of Election.

Precinct No. 2.—J. W. Kerr's store, Fourth and Harnett streets. J. W. Kerr, Registrar; R. L. Clements and L. A. Watkins, Judges of Election.

Second Ward.

Woolvin Building, Princess street.—W. W. Hodges, Registrar; W. J. Meredith and Henry Gieschen, Judges of Election.

Third Ward.

Giblem Lodge, Eighth and Princess streets.—A. G. Hankins, Registrar; J. O. Powers and B. W. Morrill, Judges of Election.

Fourth Ward.

W. P. Oldham's Store, Dock street, between Front and Second streets.—Roger Kingsbury, Registrar; S. Siegler and T. G. Pickett, Judges of Election.

Fifth Ward.

Precinct No. 1.—Engine House, Sixth and Castle streets.—Geo. W. Irving, Registrar; Jas. Weinberg and W. M. Creasy, Judges of Election.

Precinct No. 2.—Market House, Fifth and Castle streets.—George Parker, Registrar; Fred. Westermann and R. A. Burnett, Judges of Election.

Registration books open Saturday, March 18th, 1911, and remain open for twenty days.

A new registration is ordered for said primary election, and no person shall be qualified to vote therein except such as register under the said new registration.

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Chairman County Board of Elections.
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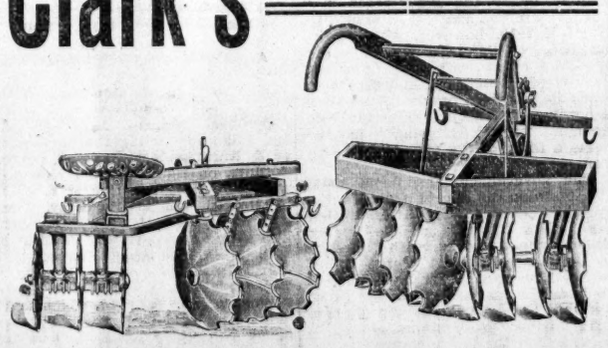

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YOU may [feel inclined] to have a very early look at the new Spring styles in clothes, even if you are not ready to buy any; it pays a man to take enough interest in what he wears to know what other men are going to wear.

Hart Schaffner & Marx

new Spring styles are here, and ready to show to any man who wants to look at them. One thing you'll be impressed with when you look at them; and that is, the thorough way in which we have prepared to supply every need of every man in this community, in the matter of clothes; not only a great variety of attractive fabrics, colors, patterns, weaves; but all the new style creations by these greatest of all clothes makers; and plenty of them.

We'd like to have you know why we make so much of a feature of Hart Schaffner & Marx clothes. It is partly because of what we know you know about them. They're not the only clothes that are made of all-wool fabrics; but they're the only clothes you're sure of. They're not the only clothes that have style, and good tailoring, but you know they have these, and you don't know of any other clothes that you're quite so sure of.

The point is, that the name of Hart Schaffner & Marx touches a responsive note in the minds of so many men, a note that we want to sound, that we twang that string a good deal.

There's more reason than ever for making that kind of a noise about our store; for the clothes are fine; and you'll say it when you see them.

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Walk-Over Oxfords

—AT—

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Wilmington, N. C., March 13, 1911.
Cape Fear Oil Co.,
Wilmington, N. C.

Gentlemen:—This is to certify that in my flight over the City of Wilmington, as well as in all other flights made for the Wilmington Driving Association, I used Gasolene furnished by the Cape Fear Oil Co. I found same to be very satisfactory and could not ask for any better.

Aeronautically yours,
(Signed) LINCOLN BEACHEY.

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FOR EARLY SPRING AND SUMMER.

AFFAIRS AT STATE CAPITAL

Literary and Historical Society Addresses—Stone Cutter Let Off With Costs—Target Practice Biblical Recorder.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Raleigh, N. C., Mach 30.—Dr. C. Alphonso Smith, just back from his stay in Berlin as the Roosevelt professor for lectures in the University of Berlin, has accepted an invitation to deliver an address in connection with th next annual session of the North Carolina Literary and Historical Society.

This is to be a feature of one of the evening sessions and there is an effort being made to secure another speaker of National reputation for the other evening, the association to be here two days. Woodrow Wilson or Dr. Henry VanDyke are especially in view. There is to be an address by Editor Josephus Daniels on "The Influence of Nathaniel Macon on North Carolina History."

W. K. Upchurch, the disgruntled stone cutter, charged with entering the marble works of Cooper Bros., here at night and injuring tombstones and statuary to the value of over $1,000, has entered a plea of guilty in Superior Court and Judge Whedbee suspended judgment on payment of costs and bond for future good behavior. He has an advanced case of tuberculosis.

For the target practice of teams representing the various companies of the three regiments of the North Carolina National Guard recently ordered by Adjutant General Leinster at Raleigh, there are being arranged by the local companies very desirable prizes. They will include $20 and $10, first and second prizes, for the best team record and an individual record prize of $5. There may be also a number of special prizes. The dates for these target contests are: Raleigh, April 18th to 20th; Goldsboro, April 25th to 27th, and Gastonia, May 3rd to 5th.

The Blue Pearl Granite Co., Winston-Salem, received a charter today with $25,000 capital authorized and $10,000 subscribed by W. H. Clinard, J. L. Wimbish, W. E. Franklin. Other charters are the Trading Club Co., Salisbury, capital $1,000, by J. C. Trexler and others for co-operative trading, and the Waynesville Undertaking Co., capital $10,000 by C. H. Ray and others.

The Biblical Recorder Co., publishing the North Carolina Baptist denominational organ, of which Rev. Hight C. Moore is president, has purchased a lot on Harget street near McDowell, and will erect at once a $15,000 home for the newspaper plant, room to be also included for the offices of the State Board of Missions, and the offices of the corresponding secretary of the mission board and the State Sunday School Secretary, who have headquarters in Raleigh. The building will be three stories and will have pressed brick front with stone trimming.

SUBSCRIPTION SWINDLE.

Rocky Mount Householders Relieved of Something Over $1,000.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Rocky Mount, N. C., March 30.—Having cleared out with over $1,000, most of it from unsuspecting women on a fake subscription and prize scheme, a young man who gave his name at the hotel as A. F. White, is now being searched for by the police of the city. While the method of swindle has been many times used before in this city, this young man added to it a new frill, worked consistently and the police have already tracted where he has swindled more than $1,000 from families in this city. Not only did he work it himself but he hired an assistant, who took orders for him on a commission and on yesterday complaint was made to the police and his assistant was hailed into court, and there the mammoth scheme of swindle that had been perpetrated between the 16th and 20th was unearthened. When the Recorder called for persons holding receipts to bring them forward, his desk within less than two minutes looked like the dumpings from a waste basket.

White, as he was known in this city, is a young man appearing to be about 25 years old, is about six feet in height, weighs about 125 pounds and is a genteel and neat looking fellow. During his endeavors in this city he wore a blue serge suit and a derby hat. His scheme is the showing of a magazine and a china plate, also a photograph of a china set of 36 pieces. He declares that for a payment of $1.80 he will send the magzine for one year and give as a premium this set of "earthware" free of charge. He takes the money and gives a receipt in the usual form as might be purchased in a stationery store but on one of the lines is printed in blue ink, "Premium Offer No. 7 consisting of magazines and cottage dinner set." The receipt is signed in printing the same color as that of the insertion named, it being "American Publishing Co., Chicago, Illinois. Upon an investigation it has been found that there is no such firm in Chicago. The police are leaving no stone unturned in their effort to apprehend this wholesale scheme of fraud.

MISSING EXPRESS MESSENGER.

Wells-Fargo Officials Think Hawkins Has Gone to South America.

El Paso, March 30.—Officials of the Wells-Fargo Express Company declared today that A. W. Hawkins, the express messenger who disappeared at the same time as a shipment of $50,000 in currency from the Banco De Sonora, in Hermosillo, to its branch in Guayamas, has been seen at Mazatlan.

The express company officials declare they are confident Hawkins has taken ship for some South American port, as he is known to have made many inquiries as to sailing dates of vessels for South America.

Interchangeable mileage and exchange tickets sold at uptown office of Seaboard Air Line, at The Orton Hotel. 3t.

DEVELOPMENT IN RAILROADS

New Projects Underway and Plans for Big Reclamation—Immense Drainage District—Other News Notes.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Whiteville, N. C., March 30.—Whiteville will have another railroad completed and in operation before very much longer and it will open up and develop a splendid section of Columbus county now remote from railway communication. The Whiteville Lumber Company is building a line from their mill at Vineland to Reaves' Ferry, on the Waccamaw river. This road was first started as a timber railway, but it was afterwards decided by the company to make of it a permanent road. So the grades were changed, curves straightened, and heavy iron placed. It is now completed within about three miles of the river, and it won't be long before trains are running on regular schedules to Reaves' Ferry. The distance is about 18 miles from Whiteville and the entire line traverses a splendid farming section, but the greater part is yet in a wilderness. There is not any finer land in our State than this road will open up and bring into cultivation. The past Fall farmers in that section hauled their goods over the completed section of the line, and are now using it for fertilizer shipments. It is thought by by the middle of Summer the road will be completed to Reaves' Ferry and a regular schedule put on.

A company of Ohio farmers is negotiating for several thousand acres of land near the ferry, and the deal has about been closed. It is their intention to plant a colony of Western farmers there, like those colonists at Chadbourn. Mr. Robinson, from near Columbus, Ohio, is investigating the land and is well pleased with the prospects. It will be a great thing for Columbus county and tributary sections in South Carolina and Brunswick county. The finest strawberry land in our section is found here, but owing to being remote from railway communication it has never been utilized. But when the railway is completed it will be opened up.

There is something doing in railroad circles around Bolton. The Waccamaw Lumber Company owns a railway extending through the Green Swamp into Brunswick county, that has also been built with a view to making it a permanent line. It will require but little more work to extend this road to Southport, as the heaviest work is completed. Last week the company brought out sixty Italian laborers to Makatoka, and others are to follow. It is reported that they will be set at work completing the grading of this road, and the presumption is that it will be extended on to Southport. This will give the Waccamaw Lumber Company tidewater rates in shipping its lumber.

Col. Jones writes that grading on the Trans-Continental is moving right along, and he intends soon to put a force of hands at work on the Southport end also. English capitalists are backing Col. Jones, and the completion of this road is looked upon as an assured certainty.

Everything is now arranged to organize the immense drainage districts, comprising the Brown and White Marshes and their tributaries. The requisite number of signers has been secured and all necessary is now to comply with the requirements of the law. The enterprising men behind this great movement intend to push it to completion, and before the end of Summer we expect to see work started. It will enable every acre of land in a greater part of Columbus county to be dried, for White Marsh is the key-stone to drainage in this county. When the canal is cut the water level will be lowered from five to seven feet, and any farmer knows what that will do for our lands and crops.

If ex-Governor Aycock is in the race for United States Senator your correspondent does not think there is any doubt about his carrying this section, as our people all look upon him as one of their own people. They also recognize him as a statesman and a wise and incorruptible patriot.

NEW PAPER-MAKING METHOD

Ground Sugar Cane and Bamboo Fiber for Cheap Product.

Washington, March 30.—Another substance from which paper may be manufactured has been discovered by a man from a sugar estate at Trinidad. The new substance is ground sugar cane, to which is added bamboo fiber.

The combination of these two, the discoverer believes produces a mass in which the fiber is of just the length to produce a cheap and excellent paper. He has made paper by this process without the use of chemicals.

The quality of the paper according to the report can command the market against any wood paper now being manufactured.

Chattanooga, Tenn, March 30.—Benton pitched great ball today and Chattanooga defeated the New York Americans 2 to 1.

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NASH COUNTY AFFAIRS.

Recorder's Court Enlarged—Carolina College Verdict—Farm Life.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Nashville, March 30.—Nash Superior Court has been in session this week for the trial of civil cases. A number of cases have been tried, but the calendar will not be cleared, and there are many cases that are not on the calendar. The Recorder's court has made it possible to finish the criminal side of the docket in two or three days. The past Legislature enlarged the jurisdiction of the recorder's court in regard to civil cases, and it is thought that hereafter the civil docket will not be so congested.

In the telegraphic report from here in regard to the verdict in favor of Stout and Benton, architects, against Carolina College, Maxton, the amount of the verdict was given as $20.90. It should have been $2,090.25. This correspondent wrote $2,090, and the error was in transmission of the special telegram. The architects claimed that the cost of buildings, erected and to be erected, was $150,000, and it was understood he was to be paid 2 per cent. The above $2,090.25 represents the balance alleged to have been due. The Carolina College made no effort to fight the case, and because of the strangeness of the action of the college directors, this correspondent thought a story of the verdict would make interesting reading. Dr. A. P. Tyer, member of the board of directors, witness for the plaintiff, intimated on the stand that the reason the claim was ignored would make interesting reading—not in so many words—but the court and jury drew such a conclusion from his manner on the stand.

The office of prosecuting attorney here is a new one, and the names of three young attorneys have been suggested for the place: Messrs. Barnhill and Hampton, of Rocky Mount, and Vaughan, of Nashville. It is understood, however, that Mr. Vaughan can have the place if he wants it. He was chairman of the Democratic Executive Committee during the late campaign. He is a talented young lawyer of the Nashville bar, and has a large and growing practice.

The question of a farm life school for Nash county is being talked by the school authorities. Nothing definite has been done as yet. Already one man has made an offer of 25 acres of land, provided the school in his district is made the farm life school. The progressive folks of Nash don't feel that they can afford to sit idly by and allow the $2,500 a year for maintenance go elsewhere. The Farmers' Union, the moving spirit in getting the law through the Legislature, is strong in Nash, and no doubt the members will do all in their power to create sentiment for the school.

RACE MEET AT PENSACOLA.

Fifteen-Day Event Will Likely Begin Today—Legal Steps.

Pensacola, Fla, March 30.—Active preparations are making to open the 15-day race meet here tomorrow notwithstanding the decision of the Pensacola Commercial Association to take legal steps to prevent it.

Secretary J. F. Pons, of the Southern Jockey Club, in a telegram received here today says the proposed meet has not been sanctioned by that organization. The reasons given are that the promoters are not duly recognized and have not asked the sanction of the Southern Jockey Club.

All horsemen who participate will not be permitted to race on any of the tracks under the jurisdiction of the club.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Advertisements under this head, carrying announcements of candidates for nomination before the primary, are classed as transient, and under the rules of this publication are cash in advance. Such advertisements will be accepted under no other condition.

FOR COUNCILMAN
FIFTH WARD.
C. C. PARKER
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FOR COUNCILMAN
FOURTH WARD
PARKER QUINCE MOORE
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FOR COUNCILMAN, FIRST WARD.

The undersigned is a candidate for Councilman, First Ward, and would appreciate your support.

W. L. WEST.

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ANNOUNCEMENT.

Having qualified for the race for Councilman in the First Ward, this is to notify my friends and the public that I am the candidate of no party or faction and if elected will have only the best interests of the city at large at heart.

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Ar. Wilson, A. C. L.	11:00 p. m.
Lv. Wilmington, A.C.L.	5:50am. *3:25pm
Ar. New Bern, A.C.L.	9:15am 6:50pm
Lv. Goldsboro, N.S.R.R.	*7:15am*10:15pm
Lv. New Bern, N.S.R.R.	9:30am 12:30am
Lv. Wilson, N.S.R.R.	*8:20am*11:30pm
Lv. Wash'gton, N.S.R.R.	10:50am 2:20am
Ar. Norfolk, N.S.R.R.	3:35pm 8:00am

SOUTH BOUND.

Lv. Norfolk, N.S.R.R.	9:00 p. m.
Ar. Goldsboro, N.S.R.R.	6:20 a. m.
Ar. Wilson, N.S.R.R.	5:05 a. m.
Ar. Wilmington	9:45 a. m.

* Daily. ! Daily Except Sunday.
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Remedies are Needed

Were we perfect, which we are not, medicines would not often be needed. But since our systems have become weakened, impaired and broken down through indiscretions which have gone on from the early ages, through countless generations, remedies *are* needed to aid Nature in correcting our inherited and otherwise acquired weaknesses. To reach the seat of stomach weakness and consequent digestive troubles, there is nothing so good as Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery, a glyceric compound, extracted from native medicinal roots—sold for over forty years with great satisfaction to all users. For Weak Stomach, Biliousness, Liver Complaint, Pain in the Stomach after eating, Heartburn, Bad Breath, Belching of food, Chronic Diarrhea and other Intestinal Derangements, the "Discovery" is a time-proven and most efficient remedy.

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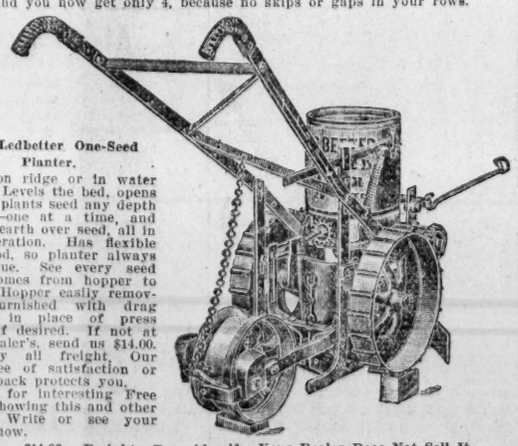

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ATLANTIC COAST LINE

These time tables are corrected to Mar. 7, 1911, but their correctness nor the arrivals and departures are not guaranteed, the figures being given as the best available information as to schedules of this company and its connections.

42	48		*Daily.	49	41
*7 00pm	*8 40am	Lv.	WILMINGTON Ar.	6 15pm	9 45am
10 00pm	11 43am	Ar.	Goldsboro Lv.	2 59pm	6 40am
11 00pm	12 43pm	Ar	Wilson Lv.	1 52pm	5 49am
11 45pm	1 18pm	Ar.	Rocky Mount Lv.	12 58pm	5 06am
2 15am	4 55pm	Ar.	Weldon Lv.	11 30am	2 25am
4 00am	7 05pm	Ar.	Petersburg Lv.	9 13am	1 36am
4 40am	8 00pm	Ar.	Richmond Lv.	8 15am	1 00am
8 00am	11 50pm	Ar.	Washington Lv.	4 20am	9 40pm
9 16am	1 15am	Ar.	Baltimore Lv.	2 50am	8 20pm
11 35am	3 40am	Ar.	West Philadelphia Lv.	12 19am	5 44pm
1 31pm	5 40am	Ar.	Manhattan Tr. (a) Lv.	9 50pm	3 38pm
1 50pm	6 00am	Ar	NEW YORK Lv.	*9 30pm	*3 38pm

(7th Ave. & 32nd St.)

(a)—Connections made at Manhattan Transfer with trains to and from Jersey City and thence with Desbrosses or Cortlandt street ferries and with Hudson River Terminal tubes to and from lower New York City.
(b) Sleeper arriving New York 6.00 A. M., may be occupied until 7.30 A. M.

48 and 49—Pullman parlor cars between Wilmington and Norfolk, connecting at Rocky Mount with New York trains with Pullman service.

42 and 41—Pullman Broiler buffet sleeping cars between Wilmington and Washington, connecting with New York trains with Pullman service.

42	48		*Daily	49	41
*7 00pm	*8 40am	Lv.	WILMINGTON Ar.	6 15pm	9 45am
11 45pm	1 18pm	Ar.	Rocky Mount Lv.	12 58pm	5 05am
3 30am	1 20pm	Lv.	Rocky Mount Ar.	12 55pm	10 35pm
4 13am	2 05pm	Ar.	Tarboro Lv.	12 18pm	9 58pm
8 00am	5 55pm	Ar.	NORFOLK Lv.	*8 15am	*620pm

42 and 41—Pullman Broiler buffet sleeping cars Wilmington and Norfolk.
42 and 49—Pullman Parlor and Dining car, Wilmington and Norfolk.

55	51		*Daily	50	54
*3 15pm	*5 45am	Lv	WILMINGTON Ar	11 40pm	1 40pm
7 25pm	9 30am	Ar.	Florence Lv.	8 00pm	9 30am
11 20pm	12 50pm	Ar.	Charleston Lv.	4 37pm	5 25am
2 25am	3 25pm	Ar	Savannah Lv.	12 05pm	12 25am
11 55am	2 20am	Ar	Albany Lv.	1 25am	1 55pm
9 40am	1 45am	Ar.	Thomasville Lv.	2 05am	2 05pm
5 50pm	8 50am	Ar.	Montgomery Lv.	6 50pm	6 05am
7 15am	8 00pm	Ar.	JACKSONVILLE Lv.	7 30am	7 55pm
2 05pm	2 10am	Ar.	Sanford, Fla. Lv.	1 25am	2 55pm
7 00pm	7 00am	Ar.	TAMPA Lv.	9 00pm	10 30am
9 10pm	8 20am	Ar.	ST. PETERSBURG Lv.	8 05pm	6 30am
10 20pm	1 05pm	Ar	FORT MYERS Lv.	*3 00pm	*6 45am

ALL TRAINS CARRY PULLMAN SLEEPING CARS—Sleeper arriving Wilmington on No. 50 at 11:40 P. M., may be occupied until 7:00 A. M., and sleeper leaving Wilmington on No. 51 at 5:45 A. M. will be open to receive passengers at 10:00 P. M., the previous night. Seat fares sold in Pullman cars to and from Wilmington.

55	51		*Daily.	32-56	54
*3:15pm	*5 45am	Lv.	WILMINGTON Ar.	11 40pm	1 40pm
7 25pm	9 30am	Ar.	Florence Lv.	8 00pm	9 30am
9 25pm	11 25am	Ar	Sumter Lv.	5 55pm	7 35am
11 10pm	12 55pm	Ar.	COLUMBIA Lv.	4 10pm	6 00am
9 25am		Ar.	AUGUSTA Lv.	2 30pm	
11:50pm	1 10pm	Lv	COLUMBIA, Sou Ry Ar	2 30pm	4 40am
5 30am	7 40pm	Ar.	Saluda Sou Ry Lv.	8 45am	10 25pm
6 00am	8 15pm	Ar.	Hendersonville Sou Ry Lv.	8 05am	9 50pm
7 00am	9 15pm	Ar.	ASHEVILLE Sou Ry Lv.	7 00am	8 50pm
7 20pm		Ar.	Knoxville Sou Ry Lv.	*1 35am	8 30am
11 05am		Ar	Louisville Sou Ry Lv.		7 40am
8 00am		Ar	CINCINNATI Q. & C. Lv.		*8 10pm

51—SLEEPING CAR Wilmington to Columbia.
55—SLEEPING CARS, Wilmington to Columbia.
51—SLEEPING CARS, Columbia to Wilmington. Sleeper from Columbia open to receive passengers at 10 P. M.
50—SLEEPING CAR Columbia to Wilmington.
Sleeping cars arriving Wilmington 11:40 P. M. and Columbia 11:15 P. M. may be occupied until 7:00 A. M.
Sleeping cars leaving Wilmington 5.45 A. M. and Columbia 6.00 A. M., will be open to receive passengers at 10.00 P. M.
Seat fares sold in all Pullman cars to and from Wilmington and Columbia.

57	51	55	*Dly	!Dly Ex. Sun.	xSun. only	54	50	58
7 30pm	*5 45am	*3 15pm	Lv.	WILMINGTON.	Ar.	1 40pm	11 50pm	8 30am
9 15pm	7 28am	5 00pm	Ar.	CHADBOURN.	Lv.	*11 40am	9 58pm	6 25am
10 10pm	11 50am	x5 15pm	Lv.	CHADBOURN.	Ar.	7 10am	5 00pm	6 15am
11 45pm.	1 30pm	6 45pm	Ar.	CONWAY.	Lv.	x8 40am	3 30pm	4 30am

59	53	*Daily.	Daily ex Sun	60	52
6 30pm	*8 45am	Lv.	WILMINGTON.	Ar.	10 15am	8 05pm
9 45pm	11 45am	Ar.	Fayetteville	Lv.	7 10am	4 50pm
9 45pm	12 10pm	Lv.	Fayetteville	Ar.	6 25am	4 45pm
11 10pm	1 40pm	Ar.	SANF. RD.	Lv.	5 00am	*3 30pm

62	64	*Daily. !Daily Except Sunday.	63	65
*3 25pm	!5 50pm	Lv.	WILMINGTON.	Ar.	12 50pm	6 50pm
5 22pm	7 42am	Ar.	Jacksonville, N. C.	Lv.	10 55am	4 55pm
6 44pm	9 05am	Ar.	Nor. & Sou. Junction.	Lv.	9 35am	3 35pm
6 50pm	9 10am	Ar	NEWBERN, N. C.	Lv.	*9 30am	!3 30pm

For folders, reservations, rates of fares, etc., call 'phone 100.

W. J. CRAIG, Passenger Traffic Manager.
T. C. WHITE, General Passenger Agent.
WILMINGTON, N. C.

SUBURBAN SCHEDULE
In Effect Tuesday, Feb. 23rd, 1911.
TO THE BEACH
WEEK DAYS.

Leave Front and Princess:	Leave Lumina
6:50 A. M.	7:45 A. M.
8:30	9:15
10:00	10:45
11:30	12:15 P. M.
1:00 P. M.	1:45
3:00	3:45
4:30	5:15
7:10	7:50
8:30	9:15

SUNDAYS.

8:30 A. M.	9:15 A. M.
9:30	10:15
10:00	10:45
11:30	12:15 P. M.
1:45 P. M.	1:45
2:00	2:45
and every half hour until	and every half hour until
5:30	5:45
6:10	6:25
7:10	6:50
8:30	7:50
	9:15

WRIGHTSVILLE.
Leave Wilmington, for Wrightsville:
Week Days—6:50, 8:00, 8:30, 10:00, 11:30 A. M.; 1:00, 3:00, 4:30, 5:30, 6:10, 7:10, 8:30 10:00, 11:00 P. M.
Sundays—8:30, 9:30, 10:00, 11:30 A. M.; 1:00, 2.00, 2:30, 3:00, 3:30, 4:00, 4:30, 5:00 5:30, 6:10, 7:10, 8:30, 10:00 and 11:00 P. M.
Leave Wrightsville for Wilmington:
Week Days—6:20, 7:30, 7:55, 8:25, 9:25 10:55 A. M.; 12:25, 1:55, 3:55, 5:25, 6:00, 6:35, 8:00, 9:25, 10:30, 11:30 P. M.
Sundays—9:25, 10:25, 10:55 A. M.; 12:25, 1:55, 2:55, 3:25, 3:55, 4:25, 4:55, 5:25, 5:55, 6:35, 7:00, 8:00, 9:25, 10:30, 11:30 P. M.

GOLF LINKS.
Leave Wilmington for Golf Links:
Week Days—6:50, 8:00, 8:30, 10:00, 11:30 A. M.; 1:00, 2:30, 3:00, 4:30, 5:30, 6:10, 7:10, 8:30, 10:00, 11:00.
Leave Golf Links for Wilmington:
Week Days—6:35, 7:45, 8:15, 8:45, 9:45, 11:15 A. M.; 12:45, 2:15, 2:45, 4:15, 5:15, 5:55, 6:55, 8:15, 9:45, 10:45, 11:45.

FREIGHT.
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Leave 9th and Orange: 3 P. M.
Leave Beach: 5:15 P. M.
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N. & W. Ry. Norfolk & Western

Quickest and Best Line West and Northwest.

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Schedule in Effect February 12, 1911.

Lv Norfolk	8:30 a m	8:00 p m
Lv. Petersburg	11:00 a m	10:40 p m
Lv. Durham	7:00 a m	5:30 p m
Lv. Lynchburg	2:40 a m	6:25 p m
Ar. Cincinnati	7:30 a m	6:25 p m
Ar. Columbus	6:45 a m	6:55 p m
Ar. Chicago	6:00 p m	7:30 a m
Ar. St. Louis	6:33 p m	8:30 a m

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Trains leave Wilmington, Effective Nov. 6th, 1910.

NO. 45—5:00 A. M.—For Hamlet and intermediate points to Charlotte, connects at Hamlet with No. 66, for Raleigh and points North.

No. 39—3:40 P. M.—For Charlotte, connecting at Hamlet with through trains for Atlanta, Birmingham, Jacksonville, Norfolk, New York and trains in all directions. Arrive Hamlet, 7:40 P. M.; leave Hamlet, 8:00 P. M.; arrive Charlotte, 10:50 P. M.

Trains Arrive at Wilmington:
No 40—12:20 P. M.—From Charlotte.
No. 44—11:59 P. M.—From Charlotte and intermediate points.
No. 45 connects at Hamlet with No. 66, for all points North; at Monroe, with No. 53, for Atlanta.
No. 39 connects at Hamlet with No. 41, for Atlanta, Birmingham and Memphis. No. 64, for Washington and New York; No. 62, for Portsmouth, Norfolk, and No. 43, for Columbia, Savannah and Jacksonville.
Parlor car service will be maintained between Wilmington and Charlotte on No. 65, leaving Wilmington at 3:40 P. M., and No. 40, arriving at Wilmington at 12:20 P. M.

E. W. ARRINGTON,
Union Ticket Agent.
'Phone No. 1294.
F. A. FETTER,
Commercial Agent,
Orton Hotel.
'Phone No. 178.
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New York to Wilmington.
Steamship "Carib," Friday, Mar. 24, 1911.
Steamship "Navahoe," Friday, Mar. 31, 1911

Wilmington to New York.
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ADVERTISING RATES may be had on application, and advertisers may feel assured that through the columns of this paper they may reach all Wilmington, Eastern Carolina and contiguous territory in South Carolina.

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COMMUNICATIONS, unless they contain important news, or discuss briefly and properly subjects of real interest, are not wanted; and if acceptable in every other way, they will invariably be rejected unless the real name of the author accompanies the same, not necessarily for publication, but as a guarantee of good faith.

Friday, March 31, 1911.

Every man who is clever is not entitled to confidence.

A man who gets the big-head over some ordinary success has reached his limit.

Some pretentious towns still have a "Main Street." Wilmington has a dozen main streets with different names.

A lot of building is going on in Wilmington but there are numbers of factory sites on which there seems to be nothing doing.

Some of those experts went back on coca-cola but the kind editors drink hasn't done a thing to them yet. It doesn't taste like the bad opinion of the experts.

Buffalo Bill may not be elected Senator from Arizona, but, anyhow, he has a good job running the kind of show people like. Col. Roosevelt also likes Col. Cody's kind of show.

On a voyage to New York on the steamship Nieuw Amsterdam, Baron Von Ryckevorsel met Miss Marie Schwartzenbart, a pretty governess. In six days thereafter they were married. Wherefore, the Dutch have once more taken Holland.

Queen Victoria of Spain heartily endorses the anti-kissing of children idea. Everybody who stops to think about it will do the same. A baby is made to take a helpless risk every time it is kissed, especially if it is kissed by people who know nothing of the sanitary kiss.

In the recent divorce suit against Nat Goodwin, the judge decreed that the divorced wife can marry but that Nat can't do so as long as his divorced wife is in the land of the living. A discriminatory decree like that will make Nat always anxious concerning the state of her health.

A man in Ohio offers to sell himself to some girl who wants to marry. In view of certain reports from Ohio, no girl would pay out her money on an Ohio man till she had the title examined to ascertain if he has not already sold himself to some candidate who needed votes in the last election.

In view of the contiuued alarm of some of our Republican friends because the Democrats won in the last election, it might be well to state that railroad magnate Hill makes the optimistic and reassuring announcement that "there isn't a dark spot anywhere on the business horizon." People who think of croaking should scan the business horizon every now and then.

Says the Buffalo Times: "There is a man in Chicago who is hurling bouquets at Jonah, who after investigating the interior department of a whale, had the good sense not to go about the country lecturing about it." Evidently the side show was not in existence in those days, else we should have heard that Jonah ended his spectacular career as a malefactor of great wealth.

Every man with a vote can do something to push Wilmington forward. The first thing the city needs now is a municipal government that will distinguish itself for its ability and constructiveness. We can give her that kind of government by voting for the very best five men who are properly qualified to act as the councilmen who are to shape the destinies of Wilmington. The man with the vote is now the important man. Let him gravely consider his responsibilities.

INDUCEMENTS FOR HOME-SEEKERS.

There is something marvelous in the fact that in ten months 100,000 people left the United States and located in the northwest region of Canada. Canada is a cold country, but she had vast timber and mineral resources and thousands of acres of valuable wheat lands awaiting industrious people to settle them. Of course, the people of the Northwestern States of the United States knew something about Canada in a general way, but they knew nothing of a definite character concerning the opportunities there. However, the Dominion and provincial governments, the railroads, and syndicates, decided to attract settlers to the undeveloped region of Canada, and so they organized a plan to do it.

It will be noted that the promoters of the settlement of the northwest territory organized a "plan" and that is precisely what must be done in North Carolina and in every community that expects to attract home-seekers and settlers. After the plan was adopted, money was used to advertise the resources of the territory and definite propositions were made to people who might be induced to try their fortunes in Canada. There were propositions to suit all classes of people—men with capital, men with little money, and laborers. Good opportunities were definitely stated, proper credits were arranged, and aid and co-operation were offered in cases where it was necessary.

The advertising campaign was conducted on an extensive scale. Newspaper men were employed to go into the territory and tell of its wonders and opportunities and the advertising was done by experts—men who knew what kind of publicity was necessary and who knew how to reach the public through the press and by traveling publicity men who were sent direct to the people with stories about the Canadian lands and the chances there for settlers. To make a long story short, the plan succeeded and citizens of our own fair land were induced to desert the land they love to go to an alien country. They carried with them millions of dollars in cash, personal property, cattle, stock, etc., and thousands have become citizens of Canada, bringing about a development that is marvelous. Great cities have grown up, for other people were also attracted to the new country and today it is prosperous and teeming with agricultural and industrial development. It all came about because a business was made of inducing homeseekers and definite plans were followed in a campaign to make that business succeed.

Southern communities can do at least what Canada did, and even more, for who is it that will not admit that a country way to the North can offer such resources, opportunities, inducements and attractions as the South with its fertile lands, its climate and its greater variety of products from which the settler can grow to be prosperous through his industry?

While we are talking about inducing settlers, why don't we agree that it is exactly what we ought to do and get at it? Fayetteville, our sister city on the Cape Fear, has gone at it right, and we glory in her spunk. She wanted publicity and her Chamber of Commerce engaged a newspaper man to take that matter in hand and work along some well defined plan that would bring results. Mr. Z. P. Smith, a capable newspaper man, lately editor of the Greensboro News, was put to work, and though he has hardly got his place warm, he is on his job. Already we hear that investors have been induced to purchase some 35,000 to 40,000 acres of land in Cumberland county, for the purpose of dividing it into farms and inducing homeseekers to take advantage of opportunities which will be presented to them in definite propositions. It is said that even a California Congressman has seen the opportunity in Cumberland and has put his money in the plans to settle people in that fine portion of North Carolina.

When people 3,000 to 4,000 miles away can see what can be done here in North Carolina, it is time for our own people to wake up to the real opportunities here. They are about as great and as numerous, in our opinion, as are encompassed anywhere on the globe, and the people of North Carolina will sooner or later realize the truth of it.

"Women shouldn't waste their time dressing," says some grouchy editor. Time is not wasted when women take time to dress. It makes 'em pretty and that is exactly what catches the average man, one of whom an old anti-dress grouch is not. A woman can look prettier on $50 than a man can on what Col. Rockefeller is giving away so he can die poor.

The Clinton News-Dispatch (Rep.) says: "If there is anyone fool enough to expect anything good of this Democratic Congress, he should stop long enough to think of the good times we had during the last Democratic Congress. We had plenty of soup." Well, soup's pretty good, but we don't blame our Republican friends from steering clear of the tureen. Their party took a header "in the soup" at the last election and it spoiled the soup.

GREEN TEA BLACKLISTED.

People who have been buying green tea because they thought tea ought to be green to be the proper stuff, will be interested in the fact that the United States will want no more green tea after May 1st. In accordance with the pure food regulations of the Department of Agriculture teas colored green will be barred from import on and after May 1st.

After a careful investigation by expert chemists and the best of authorities, the Department's bureau of chemistry has decided that the artificial coloring of tea is poisonous and injurious to health, and, therefore, that its importation is unlawful and must be prohibited in the interest of the people of the country. May 1st was selected as the date for putting up the bars, because that is the time the new crop begins to come in, while to have enforced the law earlier might have resulted in considerable loss and hardship to those who have importations on the way or who had out import contracts which would bind them. Notice is now given, however, that after the date mentioned dealers who attempt to import artificially colored teas will do so at their own risk and peril under the provisions of the government regulations.

It is estimated by the Department of Agriculture that the United States imports annually about 115,000,000 pounds of tea and that more than half of it is artificially colored. Japan will be hard hit by the regulation, as she imports artifically colored tea in immense quantities, hence it is anticipated that the decision of the Department will have a far-reaching effect on our commerce with that country. It is obvious that tea producers of that country will be compelled to seek other markets or abandon the coloring process if they hope to find this country a market for their teas.

The approved kind of tea has a rusty brown or blackish brown color, which is the natural color of the dried tea leaf. It is not so pleasing to the eye as the bright green tea to which many people have been accustomed, but it is pure, wholesome and more naturally fragrant. Many people of course, have known for years that green tea was a doctored article and never purchased it when they could get the natural tea, but thousands purchase the colored tea without knowing the difference, green tea having been cracked up to be the best.

All teas of the natural brownish color are not of the same quality, by a long shot. We know a certain quality of natural tea, quite celebrated, that doesn't pass muster on close inspection.

Wanted—Five men to manage the affairs of a city which exports from $25,000,000 to $30,000,000 worth of cotton annually, which has other large interests, and which wants to become a manufacturing city. Only men who "know how" need apply. Address "Wilmington."

Why, of course every dog has his day but the kind of day he has depends on the dog. The profitless cur feasts on Spring lamb because he hustles for a living, even if it is at the expense of sheep raisers. The sheep-killing dog is a hustler, and probably that is the only excuse any member of the Legislature can give for his doggone record.

CURRENT COMMENT.

An increase of the drug habit in the prohibition districts of New England is observed by Dr. Cabot of the Massachusetts General Hospital, who ascribes it to the difficulty of obtaining liquor. "The moment you limit the use of alcohol," says Dr. Cabot, "you increase the use of drugs. Nothing is more sure than that men accustomed to the use of alcohol will come to use morphine if alcohol is withheld.' There is similar testimony to the growth of the cocaine habit in the South under prohibition, and the conditions may well engage the attention of advocates of compulsory abstinence. If legislative prohibition is exerting the adverse influence of driving men to narcotic drugs as substitutes for whiskey and beer it is defeating its object.

A half-century has brought about a great improvement in drinking habits. As compared with the conditions a century ago we are today a very temperate people. The reform has been secured not so much by lgislation as by a more general recognition of the evils of drink as thy affect individual efficiency.It has been a reform mainnly from within. So far as it has been accomplished from without, the inspiring cause has been commercial and not legislative. If the effect of making men abstain from liquor by law is to encourage the drug habit a wrose evil will have been caused by the attempt to eradicate a lesser. —New York World.

Thirty years ago Winnipeg had a population of 8,000. Then, as now, she was a prey to winds that swept over thousands of miles of prairie, to long, cold Winters and short, hot Summers. Today Winnipeg, with a population nearing 200,000, has set an example to the rest of the continent as a successful exponent of municipal ownership of public utilities. Successful, because she makes a profit on her water, her asphalt paving plant, her telephone system and her power works. She has thirty millions invested in these enterprises, and is planning to purchase street railway, gas and electric franchises at a valuation of $18,000,000. Last year the Winnipeg Electric Company paid the city 5 per cent. on its gross earnings and then declared a profit of a million, so that the city, after the purchase, will net more than 11 per cent. on a bargain made possible by her invasion of the electric field. Nor does she confine herself to large enterprises. She owns stone quarries, an up-to-date incinerator for the disposal of refuse and a cemetery. From the cradle to the grave the Winnipegger luxuriates in the sunlight of municipal progressiveness. He reaps the benefits accruing from the proper use of trained servants in lieu of the disadvantages inflicted by money-grubbing masters. The rise of Winnipeg is worth studying. There are other advantages to be gained from our neighbor to the north besides those of reciprocity.—New York American.

George Westinghouse, the great electrical authority, in his address at the Atlanta Commercial Conference pointed out the lamost limitless water power in the South and predicted that its development would make that a busy, populous, manufacturing section. This prediction will soon be made a reality for a large part of the two Carolinas. Messrs. J. B. Duke, B. N. Duke and the capitalists of the Southern Power Company have been acquiring large water powers for the past ten years and now have enough developed to run factories and street cars and light towns and cities over hundardes of miles. The announcement that they were planning to construct one of the most extensive electric railways in the country was quickly followed by the award of the contracts. Charlotte, N. C., is to be the centre of the system. Nearly half the cotton mills in the entire South are within a radius of a hundred miles of that thrivng city, and there are prosperous manufacturing towns from 5,000 to 10,000 inhabitants all around it. The Southern division of the new electric road will run via Gactonia and Kings Mountain, N. C., to Spartanburg, Greenville, Anderson and Greenwood, S. C. Another line is said to be projected from Charlotte to Greensboro. Durham and Winston-Salem, which will link together such growing towns as Salisbury, Spencer, Lexington, High Point, Burlington, Haw River and Graham. Work is to be begun at once on the section from Charlotte south, and a Baltimore firm has been given the contract for the grading on the thirty-four mile section to Kings Mountain, while Oliver, of Knoxville, is to build ninety-five miles of the line. This is no paper project, backed by committees, resolutions and hopes, but it has behind it millions of capital, enterprise and a group of men who do things on a big scale. The Dukes themselves are natives of North Carolina, and this is a Southern enterprise conducted by Southern men and backed with their money. They evidently realize the immense possibilities of their section. The South Atlantic States have been hampered by the lack of cheap coal, but the devlopment of their water power, with long-distance transmission, promises to bring about rapid and extensive industrial development. —Baltimore Sun.

SWARTHMORE AND A. & M.

Farmers Defeated in Game That Was Interrupted by Rain.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Raleigh, N. C., March 30.—Owing to a misunderstanding of the management of the two teams, Swarthmore College, of Pennsylvania, was played today instead of tomorrow as announced, and gave A. & M. her first defeat of the season and the second one in two years by a college team. The game was interrupted by rain, and was called at the end of the seventh on account of darkness. The feature of the game was the hitting of Gieg, of Swarthmore, who secured two home runs.

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Tarble and Wilkham; Robertson and Seifert.

Summary—Struck out by Robertson, 9, Tarble 6; base on balls, by Robertson 4, Tarble 3; stolen base, A. & M. 1, Swarthmore 1; left on bases, A. & M. 8, Swarthmore 5; passed balls, Seifert 2; double plays, Swarthmore 1; two-base hits, A. & M. 1, Swarthmore 2; three-base hits, Swarthmore 1; home runs, Gieg, of Swarthmore 2; time 2:15; attendance, 450; umpire, Upchurch.

SAVED HER OWN LIFE

Kentucky Lady's Statement of How She Saved Her Own Life by the Use of Cardui.

Lebanon Junction, Ky.—"I will with the greatest pleasure, tell you that I owe my life to Cardui," writes Mrs. Minnie Lamb, "for I believe I would have been dead by now had it not been for Cardui. I took Cardui and Black-Draught for about four weeks. I haven't had one of those bad spells since I commenced to use your medicine.

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REBEL NEAR CHIHUAHUA.

Insurrectos Prepare for Capture of Mexican Town.

El Paso, Texas, March 30—All available insurrectos in the field in Northern Mexico are being concentrated west of Chihuahua, according to news received here. It is believed by insurrecto sympathizers that the purpose of this move is to allow those who have fought for the insurrecto cause to have some part in the consideration of peace terms.

That there has been no recent fighting around Chihuahua is regarded as indicating that the men in the field believe the selection of the new cabinet an evidence of good faith on the part of the government preparatory to peace negotiations.

However, the concentration of Madero's forces near Chihuahua would make possible an immediate movement against that city should negotiations fail.

Many of the insurrectos are small farmers; they have been in the field for months and have suffered many hardships. As the time for planting their crops is now at hand, it is thought here they will be willing to return to their farms and await the development of reforms if assured by the cabinet that the adminstration improvements already outlined will be enacted.

The insurrectos will demand, however, that they retain their arms; that all prisoners taken since the outbreak of the insurrection be released and that the families of those who have fallen in the insurrecto ranks be given the same compensations awarded to families of the Federal dead.

COX CASE IN CINCINNATI.

Will Not be Tried for Perjury by Judge Gorman.

Cincinnati, O., March 30.—George B. Cox, Republican leader, will not be tried on a charge of perjury by Frank M. Gorman, judge of the common pleas court. This became certain today when Judge T. A. Jones, of Jackson, O., and Judge Festus Walters, of Circleville, O., in a majority decision sustained the mandamus proceeding against Judges Charles J. Hunt, of the circut court, ordering him to rule on the affidavit filed by Cox's attorneys charging "bias and prejudice" against Judge Gorman.

While the result reached by Judges Jones and Walters was the same, the judges arrived at their conclusions by different reasoning.

Judge E. D. Sayre, the other member of the court hearing the mandamus proceedings, dissented. He submitted a minority report in which he upheld the contentions of Prosecutor Henry T. Hunt that Judge Charles J. Hunt could not hear the prejudice proceedings. Prosecutor Hunt said that he would appeal the decision to the Supreme Court of Ohio.

The decision of today sets back the case as it was 11 days ago when the "prejudice and bias" affidavit was filed before Judge Hunt. It is opinion of even the attorneys opposed to Cox that the Republican leader has accomplished what he started out to do, namely, not to be tried by Judge Frank M. Gorman, whose term expires in two days.

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CARGO THOMAS PHOSPHATE

Large Shipment of This New Material Received by Coe-Mortimer Co., by Steamer Fritzoe Yesterday.

The steamship Fritzoe arrived yesterday morning from Charleston, S. C., with the largest cargo of Thomas phosphate or basic slag ever received in this city and is now being discharged at the wharf of the Wilmington Compress & Warehouse Co.

Arriving yesterday also was Mr. R. F. Fraser, of the Charleston office of the company, who will remain here for several days looking after the distributing of the material through this section. The steamer is from Middleborough, England, and brought cargo of basic slag for Charleston, Wilmington and Norfolk. Stopping first at Charleston, the steamer discharged 2,100 tons; will leave 3,000 tons in Wilmington, and will proceed to Norfolk, Va., with 1,500 tons. The Thomas phosphate or basic slag is a comparatively new material which is being imported into this country by the Coe-Mortimer Co., of New York City, and the cargo now being unloaded is not only one of the few shipments received here, but is far the largest since the firm began introducing it in this section. The material is used in mixing fertilizers as a substitute for acid phosphate and runs 17 to 20 per cent. total phosphoric acid. The business of the firm through this port is in its infancy, but Mr. Fraser stated yesterday that it is hoped to build up a large business in this section before another season. The business in this section is handled through the Charleston office, but the material is brought here in large quantities for distribution.

Mr. Fraser stated that he is having much difficulty in securing freight cars to handle the shipment received yesterday. He called on a number of Coast Line officials during the day and finally succeeded in getting four cars for immediate use. He was told by Coast Line officials that the business through this and other Southern ports touched by the road had grown to such unexpected proportions that it is a hard matter indeed to provide the cars at the time desired. The lack of cars for handling fertilizers through this port was forcibly brought to the attention of the Commercial Club last week by Mr. Corbett, of the German Kali Works.

SERGEANT HOWELL ILL.

Popular Police Officer Victim of Smallpox—Mild Case.

Hundreds of friends of Sergeant H. W. Howell, one of the most popular members of the Wilmington police department, will regret to learn that smallpox is the cause of his illness, which has kept him confined to his home, No. 505 Wooster street, for the past several days. It only became known a day or two ago that the genial officer was a victim of the disease which has been so prevalent in Wilmington for a year or more. His case is reported as being of a very mild type and he is now on the road to recovery, friends will be glad to learn.

Mounted Officer Frank George, who was attacked by the disease some two or three weeks ago, was released from the pest house yesterday and returned to his home, and expects to be back on duty again Monday night. It is talked in all seriousness around police headquarters that one reason of the many shooting affairs during the past two or three weeks among the colored population is that the offenders knew of Officer George's disability. Probably no officer on the force is feared by the negroes like Officer George and they have abundant cause for being on good behavior when he is around. The evil doers are hereby notified that Mr. George expects to be back on his regular rounds of the city Monday night and will be in fine trim for running down criminals. The officer's many friends will be glad to learn of his recovery and will be pleased to greet him again on duty.

ELECTRIC LIGHTED PULLMANS.

Now in Service Between Wilmington and Washington on A. C. L.

The traveling public will be interested in the announcement from the passenger traffic department of the Atlantic Coast Line railroad yesterday that the Coast Line has placed in service between Wilmington and Washington Pullman cars equipped with electric lights, each berth being separately lighted. The cafe broiler service will be continued on these cars. The public will appreciate this convenience and improvement in the lighting of the Pullmans and the journey from Wilmington to Washington will be made all the more pleasant by this equipment.

Steamers With Cargoes.

The British steamer Castle Eden, Capt. Laing, arrived yesterday with cargo of pyrites from Pomaron for the Virginia-Carolina Chemical Co., vessel to Alexander Sprunt & Son. The Norwegian steamer Fritzoe, Capt. Johanessen, arrived from Middleboro via Charleston, S. C., with part cargo of kainit for the Wilmington Compress & Warehouse Co. She has ten hatches and is fitted-up modernly in every detail for carrying freight. It is one of the few steamers of this kind to visit the port and is attracting much interest.

Attacks School Principal.

A severe attack on school principal Chas. B. Allen, of Sylvania, Ga., is thus told by him. "For more than three years," he writes, "I suffered indescribable torture from rheumatism, liver and stomach trouble and diseased kidneys. All remedies failed till I used Electric Bitters, but four bottles of this wonderful remedy cured me completely." Such results are common. Thousands bless them for curing stomach trouble, female complaints, kidney disorders, biliousness, and for new health and vigor. Try them. Only 50c at R. R. Bellamy's.

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"Her Artistic Temperament."

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RATES FOR TOWING HIGHER

Strict Regulations of Government Has Forced Increase by Tow Boat Companies—Now 25 Cents Per Ton.

Towing companies at the port yesterday announced the increase in rates, which has been expected for some time, on account of the rigid regulations governing navigation on the Cape Fear river, recently adopted by the War Department, and which materially affects this feature of river traffic.

The rates in force for a number of years have been 22 cents per ton, but the increase announced is 25 cents, which recalls opposition days on the river when the rates were at the latter figure. The regulation which directly affects towing is the one which will not permit a tug to tow over one vessel by a dredge at the time. The action of the government in this particular, it is asserted, is for the protection of the dredging work on the river. It is also claimed that in bringing two and three vessels by a dredge at the same time there is much danger of a collision. The companies which control the sea-towing on the river, the Diamond Steamboat & Wrecking Co., and the Wilmington Towing Company, have issued a notice to shippers and receivers of cargoes at the port.

In the past the tugs have been able to bring two and three schooners up from Southport with perfect ease and some time as many as four, but with the present ruling in force, it will require considerable more time and the price of towing has been forced up. The rules, as adopted by the War Department, were printed in the Star some time ago and also pertain to a number of other regulations in connection with navigation on the Cape Fear, many of which are considered very good by the shipping interests.

MAXTON MEETING ON TUESDAY

Dr. Joseph Hyde Pratt Will Attend. The Highway Now Seems a Certainty—Trustees Named in the Act.

A letter yesterday from Maj. A. J. McKinnon states that he is gratified to announce that Dr. Joseph Hyde Pratt will attend the meeting of the trustees of the Wilmington to Charlotte Highway Association at Maxton next Tuesday, April 4th. Dr. Pratt will attend on the invitation of the chairman of the Good Roads Association of Robeson county and it is hoped that all trustees along the line will be present, as well as any others who may be interested in the good roads movement for this section.

The law providing the machinery for the construction of this highway stipulates that the road shall consist of thoroughfares already existing as far as possible and the Highway Department of the State Geological and Economic Survey is charged with the duty of designating the route, report of the route selected to be made to the trustees and to the Boards of Commissioners of each county through which the road is to pass, there being no extra compensation for such service. It will, therefore be very important to have Dr. Pratt present at the Maxton meeting and plans will at once be set on foot for prosecuting the work of this highway, full legislative authority for which is now had. The trustees for the various counties are as follows:

New Hanover—W. D. MacMillan, Jr.
Brunswick—A. M. Chinnis.
Columbus—Klyde Council.
Bladen—Geo. H. Currie.
Robeson—A. J. McKinnon.
Scotland—Thomas L. John.
Richmond—H. C. Parsons.
Anson—T. C. Coxe.
Union—F. G. Henderson.
Mecklenburg—F. M. Shannonhouse.

The trustees at the Maxton meeting are empowered to appoint such committees, etc., as are necessary for carrying out its work and it is hoped there will be a very large attendance. The gentlemen named as trustees are prominent good roads enthusiasts in their respective counties, all good business men and the Charlotte to Wilmington Highway looks now like a winner.

FIREMEN DID FINE WORK.

Extinguished Threatening Blaze During Severe Blow Yesterday.

While the high wind yesterday afternoon was at its worst, shortly after 6 o'clock, fire was discovered in the home of Mr. J. A. Barnes, No. 216 Brunswick street, and though the firemen responded promptly to an alarm from box 16, the blaze had made such headway when they arrived that it looked for a few minutes as if not only this building but two adjoining on either side would be consumed. The flames were fanned by the wind and this made it rather difficult for the firemen to cope with the blaze. However, they were equal to the occasion and soon after their arrival had the fire under control. It appeared to the hundreds of spectators that the firemen would be unable to subdue the flames until all the nearby buildings had been destroyed. The splendid work of the fire-fighters brought forth high praise from many of those who witnessed their efforts.

The fire was confined to the building in which it originated, doing an estimated damage to the building of $500, which is probably covered by insurance. The building is owned by Mr. Thomas H. Wright. Mr. Barnes lost some of his furniture and other articles were badly damaged. It is understood that he did not have any insurance.

TO PREVENT THE GRIP.
LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE removes the cause. There is only one "BROMO QUININE." Look for signature of E. W. Grove. 25c.

You can't vote in the primary and election in Wilmington unless you register anew. Books now open. Last call!

TELEPHONE DEVELOPMENT

Elizabethtown Preparing for Communication With Outside World—Mr. H. McA. Rose, Special Agent of Southern Bell.

Mr. H. McA. Rose, formerly manager of the Southern Bell Telephone & Telegraph Company's exchange in this city, now special agent in the office of the Division Commercial Superintendent with headquarters in Charlotte, N. C., arrived in the city yesterday from Elizabethtown where he has been on business with officials of the Bladen Telephone Co., with reference to a traffic agreement for the long distance service.

Mr. Rose is enthusiastic in speaking of the "awakening of Betsytown" and says that with the coming of the railroad, that town is showing unusual signs of business and progressiveness. The Bladen Telephone Co., of which R. S. White, Esq., is one of the prime movers, was recently chartered with a capital of $10,000 and will construct an up-to-date exchange in the town, there being already 75 or 80 subscribers. Service lines will be extended over most of the country with exchange ines to Tar Heel, White Oak and to Garland for connection with the lines of the consolidated Telephone Co. It is also proposed to connect with the new long distance lines of the Southern Bell from Wilmington to Lumberton either over the established line of Mr. S. A. L. Johnson from Elizabethtown to Abbottsburg or by the new Southern Bell line from Clarkton to Elizabethtown.. Mr. Rose says that the people of Bladen are truly alive to the immense possibilities of their county and that it is being built up very fast. His many friends here will be glad to know that he and Mrs. Rose are pleasantly situated in Charlotte, where they formerly resided. Mr. Rose yesterday ran down to Wilmington for the purpose of making his final removal to the Queen City and was pleasantly received by a host of friends in this city, where he is held in the highest esteem. He expects to return to Charlotte this afternoon.

SUNDAY SCHOOL OUTINGS.

Tidewater Power Co. Has Arranged Schedule for the Excursions.

As has been its custom for a number of years the Tidewater Power Company will this Spring give complimentary outings to Wrightsville Beach to all the Sunday School children of the city, the schedule for which has just been announced by Capt. W. F. Corbett, the genial representative of the company, who personally looks after the comfort and convenience of the children on these excursions. The Sunday School excursions will begin on May 1st and continue to the end of the month and will embrace every Sunday School in the city and some not in the city. The following are the date of the excursions as announced:

Monday, May 1st, Wrightsboro Sunday School; Tuesday, May 2nd, St. James', St. John's and St. Paul's Episcopal; Thursday, May 4th, Salvation Army; Friday, May 5th, Bladen Street and Trinity Methodist; Tuesday, May 9th, Temple of Israel; Friday, May 12th; Fifth Street Methodist and Christian Science; Monday, May 15th, Chapel of the Good Shepherd; Tuesday, May 16th, St. Paul's and St. Matthew's Lutheran; Wednesday, May 17th, Front Street Advent; Thursday, May 18th, St. Andrew's Presbyterian; Friday, May 19th, Grace Methodist; Wednesday, May 24th, Fourth Street Advent, Delgado and Winter Park; Thursday, May 25th, Southside and Brooklyn Baptist; Friday, May 26th, First Presbyterian; Tuesday, May 30th, First Baptist; Wednesday, May 31st, St. Thomas Catholic.

The outing of St. Paul's and St. Matthew's Lutheran Sunday Schools will be held during the annual meeting of the North Carolina Synod, which will be held in this city, and the delegates will likely accompany the children on the trip.

The children will board the cars at Front and Princess streets, no stops being made between the junction and Lumina, this being the rule of the company in handling these excursions and is done especially for the purotection of the children, eliminating the possibility of accident in getting on and off at street intersections.

TIE GAMES TONIGHT.

Basketball Contests at Y. M. C. A. of Unusual Interest.

In the gymnasium of the Boys' Brigade armory this evening will be played two games of basketball of more than ordinary interest, as they will probably determine the winners in the series of contests which have been in progress among teams of the institution during the Winter. The Stags and Lions will contest for first place and the Seminoles and Kangaroos for the third and fourth place. Should the Stags win from the Lions the two teams will have to play a championship series, but on the other hand if the Lions win they will be the champions of the season and entitled to the Honnet cup, having won the first series. The games tonight are expected to be the most exciting of the season and will doubtless be witnessed by a large number of spectators. The first game will begin at 8:15 o'clock.

Funeral of Mr. W. T. Costin.

The funeral of Mr. Wesley T. Costin, who died at his home at Sumter, S. C., Tuesday night, was held at Masonboro graveyard yesterday morning at 11 o'clock, conducted by Rev. G. T. Adams, pastor of Fifth Street Methodist Church, in the presence of a large concourse of relatives and friends. The interment was in the graveyard there. The pall-bearers were Messrs. J. W. Fleet, S. R. Coley, John T. Sholar and J. T. Reilly. The body was brought to this city early yesterday morning from Sumter, accompanied by a brother of the deceased, Mr. Geo. B. Costin, of Jacksonville, Fla., and a daughter.

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THE SCREEN ORDINANCE

Becomes Effective Tomorrow, But It Will Not Be Enforced Until After Meeting of Aldermen Monday Night.

The screen ordinance for which the ladies of North Carolina Sorosis worked so earnestly and persistently and which was adopted only through vote of Mayor MacRae who broke the tie on the Board of Aldermen becomes effective tomorrow, April 1st, but the measure will not be enforced until after the meeting of the aldermanic body Monday evening, Mayor MacRae, at the urgent request of the Front street market men, having instructed Chief of Police Williams to bring no indictments until there is further consideration of certain features of the law.

Chief of Police Williams stated yesterday that all the merchants and market men had been given a copy of the ordinance and notified of his intention to see that the law is rigidly complied with and that he had heard no objection except by the Front street market men. The Mayor stated that the Front street market men wanted the city to pay the expenses of screening their meats, fish, oysters etc., and in order to be heard by the Aldermen on this point had requested that no action be taken against them until after the meeting Monday night. It is understood that the market men also want the Aldermen to say whether or not they will be required to screen such things as potatoes, cabbage, etc. Furthermore, it is understood that some of the dealers at Front street market think that the screening of the large doors to the market house will answer every purpose; certainly the screening of the stalls is all that will be necessary, they point out. It is probable that the Aldermen would favor paying the expense of screening the doors to the market house, but it is quite certain that they will not vote for an appropriation to screen the meats, etc., in the individual stalls, they having discussed this matter at a recent meeting and decided at that time there was no more reason why the city should screen stalls in the city market houses than in the private markets.

Chief Williams stated that he thought all the private markets and also the public markets with the exception of Front street had taken steps to comply with the law. The sections with reference to chicken coops, fruit, etc., on display on the streets and sidewalks, will be enforced immediately, beginning tomorrow, it is said.

The fact that the ordinance is not to be enforced until after the meeting Monday night does not mean that the ordinance is to be repealed in its entirety, but does mean that it may be modified in certain particulars, yet it is believed that the measure in the main will be retained and that the dealers will have to screen their foodstuffs.

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Annual Meeting T. P. A.

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Maj. and Mrs. D. O'Connor have returned from a visit to St. Augustine and other points in Florida, where they have been spending several weeks.

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Miss Annie Lu Ward, of Florence, S. C., arrived yesterday to be with her grandmother, Mrs. W. A. Willson, who has been ill for two months at her home on Nun street.

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Friends of Mr. C. H. Darden will regret to know that he has just undergone an operation for appendicitis at the James Walker Memorial Hospital, but will be glad to know that he is recovering rapidly and was resting yesterday evening as comfortably as could be expected.

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Mr. and Mrs. Walter P. Sprunt and Miss Annie Worth returned yesterday from a delightful sojourn of ten days in St. Augustine and Palm Beach, Fla., and Havana, Cuba. Mr. Sprunt speaks most enthusiastically of the delights of Florida at this season of the year and of the evidences of progress and enterprise all over the State.

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Rev. G. A. Martin, who has been pastor of Southside Baptist Church for the past four years, resigning a few weeks ago to accept a call to the Thomasville Baptist Church, will leave this morning, accompanied by Mrs. Martin, for his new charge. Mr. and Mrs. Martin will carry with them the very best wishes of a host of friends in this city. Rev. Mr. Hall, of Rocky Mount, who succeeds Mr. Martin, is expected to arrive today or tomorrow accompanied by Mrs. Hall.

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TO FLORIDA POINTS ON BRIDAL TRIP.

Mr. W. L. Moore and bride, formerly Miss Rowe, of Currie, left yesterday morning for Jacksonville and other points in Florida on their bridal trip. Returning to Wilmington in about ten days they will live on Harnett street. The marriage was celebrated last Sunday at the home of the bride, near Currie, Rev. A. C. Chaffin, pastor of Long Creek Baptist Church, officiating. Only a few relatives and friends were present. Mr. Moore holds a position in the local shops of the Atlantic Coast Line and is very popular with his associates and other friends, and prominent in Brooklyn Baptist Church, being superintendent of the Sunday School, while his bride is a most attractive young lady.

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"SPRING OPENING" WILL BE GIVEN THIS EVENING.

The Junior Baracas of Grace Methodist Church invite all of their friends to attend the "Spring Opening," which will be given under the auspices of the class in the lecture room of the church this evening, beginning at 8:30 o'clock. The entertainment promises to be thoroughly enjoyable and all who attend are assured of a good time. The admission will be only 10 cents and the attendance is expected to be large. A very attractive programme has been arranged for the evening, opening with an overture by the High School Orchestra, followed by a reading by Miss Gracie Craig; song by the quartette; violin solo, Mr. Wilbur Kukham; reading, Miss Blanche Penny; vocal solo, Mr. Webb; song without words, Mr. C. Cooper; selection by the orchestra and a song by Master William Penny. The members of the class hope to have the pleasure of greeting all their friends in the lecture room of the church this evening.

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FRIDAY OF NEXT WEEK WILL BE HOSPITAL DAY.

Next Friday, April 7th, is Hospital Day, so designated by the Hospital Circle of King's Daughters, and the ladies of that organization are now arranging their plans for the yearly event—a day selected for special efforts to raise funds to aid the great work of the James Walker Memorial Hospital, which is one of the best institutions of the kind south of Baltimore. Although the hospital is splendidly equipped and receives large appropriations from the city and county every year, besides receives some revenue from pay patients, yet there are always many things to buy for the institution, which must be purchased by funds raised through contributions of the public in order to keep the hospital up to its high standard.

Every year the Hospital Circle of King's Daughters makes appeals to the public for contributions to keep the institution up to its high standard and there has always been a liberal response from the business men of the community. This year is not expected to be an exception to the rule; in fact, it is expected that the contributions will even exceed that of former years, as the institution becomes better known and its usefulness in the community better understood by the people generally. The ladies form themselves into committees and go out and seek contributions, especially from the business men. If the ladies in their canvass do not see some business men interested in the institution who would like to contribute, they may send their contributions to Mrs. William Latimer, president of the Hospital Circle.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

—Mr. A. E. Underwood, of Ernest, Sampson county, was a business visitor to the city yesterday.

—Mr. S. D. Lucas, local district manager of the Southern Bell Telephone & Telegraph Co., has returned from Atlanta, Ga., where he attended a conference of the district managers of the company.

Warning to Railroad Men.

Look out for severe and even dangerous kidney and bladder trouble resulting from years of railroading. Geo. E. Bell, 639 Third Street, Fort Wayne, Ind., was many years a conductor on the Nickel Plate. He says: "Twenty years of railroading left my kidneys in terrible condition. There was pain across my back and hips and my kidneys gave me much distress. The first bottle of Foley Kidney Pils made a wonderful improvement and four bottles cured me completely."—Robt. R. Bellamy.

Register Today!

LOCAL DOTS.

—The case against Alex. Moore, Jr., colored, charged with attempted criminal assault on a negro girl in Cape Fear township Tuesday, set for hearing before Justice Harriss, yesterday was continued until this morning at 11 o'clock.

—Deeds were filed for record yesterday as follows: John R. Hanby and wife to C. A. Williams and wife, for $600 and other considerations, lot on south side of Market street road, 99 feet west of 20th street, 33x113 feet in size; Winter Park Gardens Co., to Ferdinand W. Gerken and wife, for $10 and other considerations, lot on south side of Park avenue, Winter Park Gardens, 66x330 feet in size; Thos. H. Wright and C. D. Bender and wife to K. C. Sidbury, for $10 and other considerations, lot on north side of King, 165 feet east of 14th street, 66x82 1-2 feet in size.

MISS LAVENDER DEAD.

Well Known and Esteemed in Wilmington, Passed Away at Troy.

Hundreds of friends and former pupils in this city will learn with sorrow of the death of Miss Henrietta Lavender, who passed away at her home in Troy, N. Y., on the morning of March 24th, after a long illness.

Miss Lavender was a sister of Mrs. W. M. Stevenson, of this city, and for five consecutive Winters and Springs had spent several months in Wilmington where she had classes in music. She was born in the old village of Lansingburg, and was a daughter of the late John B. Lavender, a prominent citizen of Lansingburg. Miss Lavender was a musician of rare accomplishments and had made the art her profession through life. The news of her passing will be received with sincere sorrow by many Wilmington friends. A Troy, N. Y., paper in speaking of Miss Lavender says:

"Miss Lavender was a musician of marked ability and had made the art her profession throughlife. She ranked high as a pianist, and while she resided in this section, in her younger years, her services were in demand for concerts and other musical functions. She excelled as an accompanist, because of her fine taste and excellence of judgment. As an instructor she was thorough, conscientious, capabe and faithful, and numerous pupils attested the value of her teaching. For a number of years she was organist of the First Presbyterian church. Of late years Miss Lavender had been teaching successfully in Wilmington and other places. Since her return to this city she had been residing with her sister, Mrs. William N. Miter. The deceased was a woman of pleasant manner and a personality that attracted friends. All who knew her will receive with regret and grief the announcement of her death."

TWO YEARS FOR FOWLER.

Recorder Gives Negro Long Sentence for Carrying Pistol.

The Recorder continues to give evidence of the fact that Mr. Pistol Toter will not have smooth sailing in his court, when the testimony discloses the guilt of the defendant. Chas. Fowler, colored, one of the alleged highwaymen, who was found guilty at Wednesday's session of carrying a concealed weapon in two cases, was yesterday sentenced to two years on the county roads, 12 months in each case. Fowler's pal, Council Stanley, was sentenced at Wednesday's session to nine months on the roads for carrying concealed weapons.

The case against Fowler for assault with deadly weapon on Wise Merritt, colored, late Saturday night, was investigated yesterday morning. The evidence showed that Fowler was not guilty of this charge and the case was dismissed. Fowler and Stanley will be tried in Superior Court next week on the charge of highway robbery and if convicted will probably draw a long sentence, which, added to what they already received, will keep them in the employ of the county for some years.

When the case against Jim Davis, colored, charged with abandonment and non-upport of his wife, was called, it was announced by the prosecution that a case against the defendant could not be made out. The case was therefore dismissed at the cost of the prosecution.

BASEBALL THIS AFTERNOON.

The Wilmington and Kinston High Schools Play at League Park.

The first game of baseball of the season at League Park will be played this afternoon between the Wilmington and Kinston High School teams and it is expected the contest will be witnessed by a large number of fans. The Kinston team will arrive in the city this morning. These teams will play a second game Saturday afternoon. Both teams are said to be strong and the players in fine trim for the contest. The game this afternoon will be called at 3:30 o'clock. The admission will be 25 cents for adults and 15 cents for children. A big portion of the High School student body will be on the grounds to root ofr the local team. The students have formed a rooting club and it will be worth the price of admission to hear the yells for the W. H. S.

The Tidewater Power Co., has arranged a convenient schedule and will have ample cars to take care of the crowds. Cars will leave Front and Princess streets for League Park as follows: 2:30, 2:45, 3:00, 3:15, 3:45 and 4:00 P. M.

A Special Medicine for Kidney Ailments.

Many elderly people have found in Foley's Kidney Remedy a quicker relief and permanent benefit from kidney and bladder ailments. Isaac N. Regan, Farmer, Mo., says, "Foley's Kidney Remedy effected a complete cure in my case and I want others to know of it."—Robt. R. Bellamy.

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You can't vote in the primary and election in Wilmington unless you register anew. Books now open. Last call!

..Theatrical..

The Academy of Music is next week to offer what is considered a sensation in the theatrical line, and certainly a radical innovation. Miss Ruth Grey, known as "The Woman Wonderful" and whose entertainments are of a most elaborate nature, will appear all week, opening Monday night. The prices for the engagement here will be made 10, 20 and 30 cents, seats for Monday night going on sale at Plummer's tomorrow morning.

Miss Grey is this week mystifying as well as delighting large audiences in Charleston, and it is well to note what the press of that city is saying about her. Tuesday afternoon's Charleston Evening Post had this to say:

"Miss Ruth Grey made her debut in Charleston last evening at the Academy of Music before a pretty large audience, the entertainment being pleasing to the scores who had purchased the privilege of occupying the upholstered chairs in orchestra and balcony. Miss Grey is the best mind-reader who has so far performed her astounding feats here, and it is safe to say that as the week wears along the patronage will increase. An opening performance is always difficult for entertainments of this sort and Miss Grey wrought nobly in consideration of the handicaps that are not evident to the casual observer. She got "en rapport" (her own little expression) with many people, not discriminating as to the sex of the questioner, giving the gentlemen the same attention she bestowed upon the ladies, playing no favorites. Some of the answers were remarkable, while others carried just enough comedy, though Miss Grey was not intentionally striving after the ludicrous.

"Physically she is an attractive little woman, young and good looking; she wears lovely clothes, and wears them becomingly, as if "she belongs" Then too, she is a highly educated woman, speaking excellent English fluently, wherein she differs from most of the so-called mind-readers who have preceded her in Charleston. By and large, her entertainment is one of class, refinement being the keynote. The strain of the performance tells upon her; that much is evident. The trick, if trick it be, of answering questions of strangers in this strange manner, is wonderfully ingenious. There are many intelligent people who believe mind-reading to be a trick but there are brilliant men and women who profess to believe in it to a remarkable degree.

Joyland.

Today will usher in another big day with the popular Market street picture house. The variety will be great enough to please every taste, and the quality—well, Joylanders already know from experience that nothing but the best is ever put on by the management. The feature picture for today will be "The Angel of the Bowery," a superb production dealing with the work of the Salvation Army in the slums of "little old New York," and will demonstrate to the most skeptical the great good that this organization is doing all over the land. This will be followed by a comic side splitter, "On Their Honeymoon," and then comes "Bill's Lucky Horseshoe." Friday will be candy day again and three boxes of Guth's delicious candies will be given to the lucky ones.

Bijou.

Talking about much for little, why the Bijou today will offer five of the very latest and best films at its same old tiny price of admission. The five films will lead off with four of the most laughable motion picture creations and will come to a glorious finale with one of the strongest dramatic pictures ever seen in Wilmington. Of course, Mr. Frank Banks will be heard in one of the latest and prettiest of illustrated songs. "Family Troubles" is one of the funniest of all pictures, and another scream of a film is "Oh, You Skeleton." "His Image in the Water," is another corker for laughs, while "The Ghost in the Oven," will make one split his sides a-yelling. Then will be presented one of the most powerful of all dramatic pictures in "A Fatal Resemblance." It tells a stirring story of false imprisonment, with the tender love of a father for his child, considered a moving picture masterpiece.

Grand Theatre.

Winds may blow and rains may fall, but still the Grand does a S. R. O. business. Yesterday's bill was thoroughly enjoyed by all and the management was complimented on the excellence of the programme. Something decidedly interesting in the way of songs is on tapis for today. Mr. Henry has had several requests to sing "The Rosary," and Grandites will learn with pleasure that he has selected this beautiful song for today. Mr. Henry's stay in Wilmington has not been long but in the little time he has made hosts of friends who daly attend solely for the purpose of hearing him sing and who will be greatly pleased to learn that he will sing Nevin's masterpiece, "The Rosary." The pictures for today are in keeping with all the other good things on the bill. The orchestra will play a special programme of standard music and with Mr. Henry's number the musical part of the programme will be one of the best of the season. The doors open daily at 11 A. M.

WILMINGTON CIVIC LEAGUE.

Important Meeting Will be Held Monday Evening.

The president and executive committee of the Wilmington Civic League, which promises to do much toward making this city cleaner, healthier and more beautiful, have called a public meeting of the organization to be held Monday evening, beginning at 8:15 o'clock. Through the courtesy of the Elks the meeting will be held in the Elks' Temple, on North Front street. Plans will be outlined for further work this Spring and the various committees recently appointed by the president are expected to report. The public is invited to attend this meeting and take part in the discussions.

CHARGED WITH FORGERY.

Young White Man Arrested Yesterday for Serious Offense.

Constable Savage yesterday afternoon arrested Jim Jevis, a young white man, on a warrant charging him with forgery and he was committed to jail in default of bond to await hearing before Justice Harriss today. It is alleged that the young man obtained a small amount of goods from the hardware store of Wm. E. Springer & Co. by forging the name of Smith Roofing Company to an order. The warrant was sworn out by Mr. L. O. Smith, of the firm, whose name is alleged to have been forged.

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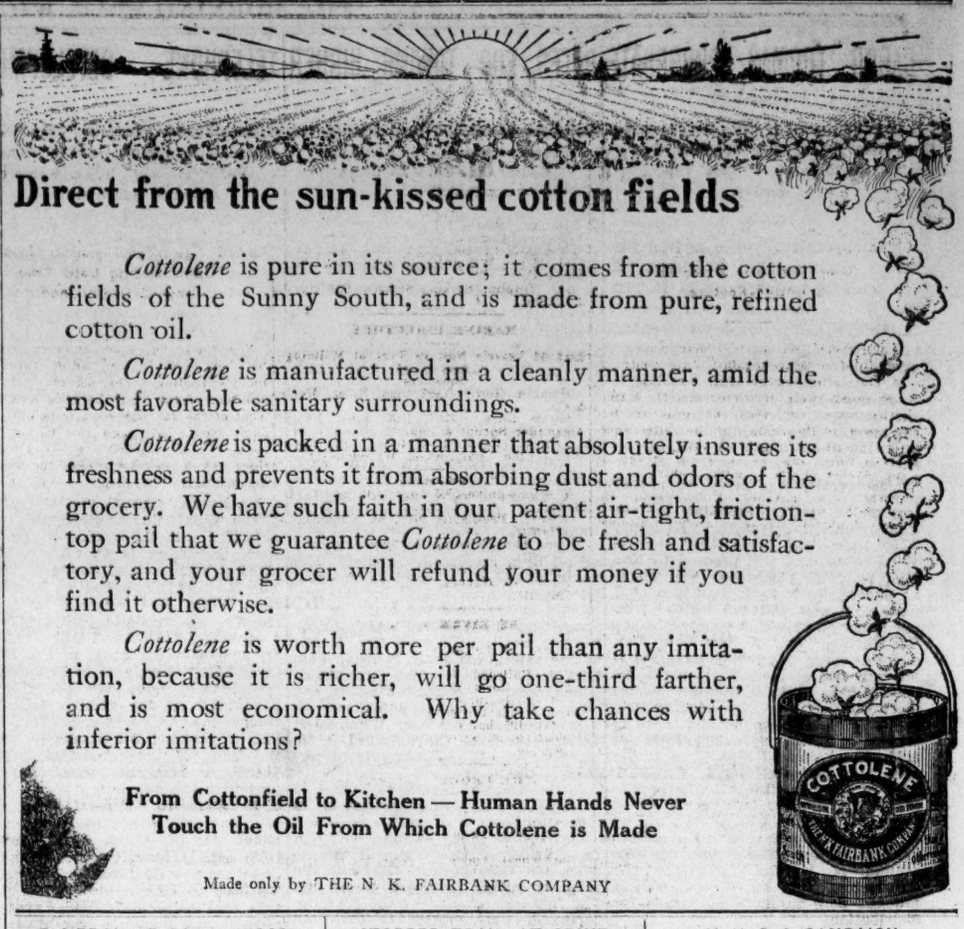

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FUNERAL OF CAPT. WIGGS.

Services From Brooklyn Baptist Church Yesterday Afternoon.

The funeral of Capt. Jesse O. Wiggs was held at 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon from Brooklyn Baptist Church, conducted by the pastor, Rev. C. F. Whitlock, assisted by Rev. Dr. A. D. McClure, pastor of St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church, and Rev. W. L. Rexford, pastor of Bladen Street Methodist Church. There were present a large number of relatives and friends and there were many handsome floral designs, which bore silent testimony to the high esteem in which Capt. Wiggs was held by many friends throughout the city. The interment was in Oakdale cemetery. Dr. A. D. McDonald and Mr. W. H. Sprunt were the honorary pall-bearers and the active were Messrs. E. S. Hancock, D. F. Barnes, J. M. Woolard, Pulaski Page, Brice Taylor and Fletcher Whitaker.

Mr. I. T. Wiggs, of Norfolk, Va., a brother of Capt. Wiggs, and Mr. M. S. Wiggs, of Newbern, a nephew, arrived yesterday in time to attend the funeral services.

Funeral of Mr. Carl Otersen.

The funeral of Mr. Carl Otersen, whose death occurred Wednesday morning, was held from the family residence, on North Third street, at 3:30 o'clock yesterday afternoon, conducted by Rev. W. A. Snyder, pastor of St. Paul's Lutheran church, assisted by Rev. H. E. Beatty, pastor of St. Matthew's Lutheran church. There were present a large concourse of relatives and friends and there were many beautiful floral designs. The interment was in Oakdale cemetery. The pall-bearers were: Honorary, Messrs. John Kuhlken, Sol. Jones, Geo. L. Schutt and W. K. Stewart; active, Messrs. Carl Muegge, Bernard Turley, Marion Spencer, Earl Biggs, James Bowden and Walter Knight.

Funeral of Infant Daughter.

The funeral of Lillian Katherine Jones, the 19-months-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Jones, was held from the family residence, No. 7 1-2 South Second street, at 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon, conducted by Rev. J. S. Crowley, pastor of Immanuel Presbyterian Church. The interment was in Bellevue cemetery.

STORM ALONG THE COAST.

High Winds Played Havoc in Several Southern Cities Yesterday.

Atlanta, Ga., March 30.—A 50-mile an hour gale played pranks about Atlanta and immediate vicinity today, but aside from the discomfort to pedestrians did but little damage. The gale reached a velocity of 65 miles an hour at Charleston, Savannah and other points on the South Atlantic coast. Telegraph and telephone wires were reported down in all directions during the day, but with the cessation of the wind this afternoon communication was established with all coast points. No reports of serious damage have been received.

FAILURE CAUSE OF SUITS.

Had Reference to the Defunct Carnegie Trust Co.

Nashville, Tenn., March 30.—Two more suits growing out of the failure of the Carnegie Trust Company, of New York, were filed here today by Superintendent Cheney, of the New York State department of banks. The litigation is aimed at H. G. Hill and S. Lenehan for the collection of two notes, each of which exceeds $13,000.

STOPPED TRAIN AT CRIME.

Tried to Prevent Man from Killing Woman and Self.

New York, March 30.—Passengers arriving ealy this evening by a New York Central train had the horrifying introduction to a crime when sudden application of the emergency brakes brought the train almost to a stop opposite a double tragedy which was being enacted in Park avenue. A well dressed man was seen to whip a revolver from his pocket, shoot down a woman and turn the weapon upon himself.

The engineer, who was the first to see the couple, threw on his brakes and shouted to the man, "Hold on; don't shoot her!"

The assassin paid no heed to the unexpected witness to his deed, but took deliberate aim at the woman and fired. Then he placed the weapon at his own temple, fired and sank to the street by the woman's side.

Passengers who had looked on, powerless to interfere were horrified and as soon as the engineer saw that his warning was not heeded he pulled his train into the station.

The man was dead when the police arrived and the woman has little chance of recovery. A card found in the man's pocket bore the name of Jacob Schontz.

The woman victim was identified tonight as Mrs. Mary Czupkiewiz, of this city.

Washington, D. C., March 30. — Nineteen members of the First and four members of the Second class at the Naval Academy at Annapolis will be dropped at the end of the present academic year, owing to physical disability, having failed to pass the second tests which were required after they were examined some time ago and found to be deficient physically for the service. The members of the First class will be awarded their diplomas for scholastic work.

Y. M. C. A. CAMPAIGN.

Only Nine Thousand More With With Goal in Sight.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Raleigh, N. C., March 30.—The fifth day of the whirlwind campaign for the Y. M. C. A. building fund, brings the amount pledged up to $56,269, with less than $9,000 to be raised during the two days remaining of the period allotted for the canvass. It is probable that there will be a pressing canvass on to at least $75,000 so as to install all the more creditable Y. M. C. A. plant. This in addition to pitching in next week to raise $7,500 that Raleigh is under obligation to raise toward the A. & M. College Y. M. C. A. building.

INTERURBAN TROLLEY LINE.

Work on Electric Railway to Connect South Carolina Cities.

Anderson, S. C., March 30.—Ground was broken today for the construction of a roadbed of the Greenville, Spartanburg & Anderson Line of the Piedmont & Northern Electric Railway, which will connect Greenwood, S. C., Charlotte, N. C., and smaller towns between. W. J. Oliver, of Knoxville, Tenn., has the construction contract. The syndicate, which is said to be backed by the Duke interests, has purchased the street railway system of Charlotte, Greenville and Anderson.

Durham, N. C., March 30.—Prof. Charles G. O'Kelly, the oldest negro educator in the State, and vice president of the National Religious Training School, of Durham, was injured in a runaway accident tonight and his recovery is uncertain. He was once a slave.

Columbus, O., March 30.—The House today passed by a vote of 89 to 13 the Witman bill providing for the election of United States senators by popular vote on the Oregon plan.

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Financial and Commercial

A SHARP RALLY FOR COTTON

Advance After Selling of Summer Months Had Subsided—New Crop Positions Eased Off Slightly—Features.

New York, March 30.—There was a renewal of pressure against July contracts in the cotton market this morning, stop loss orders were uncovered and for a time prices were very weak and unsettled, but as soon as the selling of the active summer months subsided, covering caused a sharp rally, and the close was steady at an advance of five to eight points.

The opening was steady, at unchanged prices to an advance of four points in sympathy with better cables than expected, but quickly weakened under continued selling of July by prominent bull brokers, which tended to encourage the rumors that one of the old bull leaders was liquidating. Leading spot people, believed to be heavily long of May, but short of July, sold May and helped to absorb the July offerings, and whether the demand came from shorts or not there was sufficient buying of May to increase the price of that month. New crop positions eased off slightly with the old options, but continued relatively steady, although there was no change in the character of the weather news and after the market had sold at a net decline of about 12@13 points on the old, and of 4@6 points on the new crop, there was a sharp rally. Foreigners were said to be buyers of old crop months on the break. There was also some scattering support from local sources, which was probably inspired by expectations of bullish week-end figures and bullish Southern spot advices. May led the advance, selling up to 14.45. The close was within a point or two of the best of the active months. It was reported during the afternoon that Southern mills were offering print cloths 1-16c. under the latest reduction, but reports were also circulating that the recent cut in certain lines of goods had been followed by a somewhat improved demand. Private cables reported an active and firmer market for goods at Manchester.

Receipts at the ports today, 7,177 bales, against 8,033 last week, and 29,508 last year. Today's receipts at New Orleans, 2,487 bales, against 8,054 last year.

Spot closed quiet; middling uplands, 14.45; do. gulf, 14.70; sales, 900 bales.

Cotton futures opened steady and closed steady.

Month:	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
March	14.29	14.33	14.13	14.33
April	14.31	14.24	14.31	14.31
May	14.37	14.45	14.35	14.33
June	14.12	14.12	14.12	14.16
July	....	14.15	13.97	14.14
August	13.63	13.65	13.52	13.66
September	12.97	12.97	12.90	12.90
October	12.60	12.63	12.53	12.63
November	....	....	....	12.56
December	12.50	12.52	12.44	12.53
January	12.48	12.50	12.50	12.49

THE PORT MOVEMENT.

Galveston—Quiet, 14⅛; net receipts, 2,376; gross receipts, 2,376; stock, 82,367; France, 8,589; continent, 8,345; coastwise, 1,292.

New Orleans—Easy, 14⅛; net receipts, 2,487; gross receipts, 2,487; sales, 671; stock, 108,704; Great Britain, 7,500.

Mobile—Steady, 14⅛; net receipts, 19; gross receipts, 19; sales, 150; stock, 12,573; coastwise, 19.

Savannah—Quiet and steady, 14¼; net receipts, 1,272; gross receipts, 1,272; sales, 1,517; stock, 54,135.

Charleston—Nominal; net receipts, 35; gross receipts, 35; stock, 21,452; coastwise, 400.

Wilmington—Nominal; net receipts, 195; gross receipts, 195; stock, 3,591.

Norfolk — Nominal, 14⅜; net receipts, 563; gross receipts, 563; sales, 66; stock, 15,992; Great Britain, 100; continent, 55; coastwise, 497.

Baltimore—Steady, 14⅜; stock, 2,995.

New York — Quiet, 14.45; net receipts, 153; gross receipts, 1,246; sales, 900; stock, 208,787; continent, 2,489; coastwise, 688.

Boston—Quiet, 14.45; net receipts, 77; gross receipts, 597; stock, 15,639.

Philadelphia—Quiet, 14.70; gross receipts, 3,088.

Minor Ports—Stock, 5,118.

Total today, at all ports—Net, 7,177; Great Britain, 7,600; France, 8,589; continent, 11,386; stock, 535,841.

Consolidated, at all ports—Net, 39,475; Great Britain, 22,206; France, 8,589; continent, 35,013; Japan, 161.

Total since Sept. 1, at all ports—Net, 7,917,968; Great Britain, 3,029,793; France, 857,481; continent, 2,549,301; Japan, 139,050; Mexico, 1,725.

INTERIOR MOVEMENT.

Houston—Steady, 14 5-16; net receipts, 2,612; gross receipts, 2,612; shipments, 3,450; sales, 456; stock, 65,034.

Augusta—Quiet, 14⅜; net receipts, 110; gross receipts, 232; shipments, 272; sales, 430; stock, 39,826.

Memphis—Steady, 14¾; net receipts, 142; gross receipts, 1,221; shipments, 2,962; sales, 1,500; stock, 146,179.

St. Louis—Dull, 14¾; net receipts, 170; gross receipts, 752; shipments, 1,107; stock, 21,111.

Cincinnati—Net receipts, 656; gross receipts, 656; shipments, 767; stock, 20,167.

Little Rock—Quiet, 14¼; net receipts, 295; gross receipts, 295; shipments, 943; stock, 25,124.

Louisville—Firm, 14¾.

Total today—Net receipts, 3,985; gross receipts, 5,768; shipments, 9,501; sales, 2,392; stock, 327,441.

SHARP RALLY IN COTTON.

Demand for May Followed by Offerings of July—Market Conditions.

(Speical Star Telegram.)

New York, March 30.—A demand for May appeared to be followed by offerings of July, and this feature led many who have held the latter delivery to dispose of their holdings, which caused the decline to below 14 cents. From this point there was a sharp rally, the market closing firm at about the best prices of the day. There appears no change in the situation—the market absorbed the offerings today in a remarkably good manner, in face of the poor trade accounts from the American goods market. At the same time there is no revival in speculation for an advance, as the trade is unable to decide which of the two factors will prevail. The small supply or the poor demand from the American spinner.

HUBBARD BROS. & CO.

LIVERPOOL COTTON MARKET.

Spot, Good Business; Prices, Three Points Lower.

Liverpool, March 30.—Spot, good business done; prices, 3 points lower; American middling fair, 8.14; good middling, 7.84; middling, 7.66; low middling, 7.46; good ordinary, 7.20; ordinary, 6.95.

The sales of the day were 12,000 bales, of which 1,000 were for speculation and export, and included 11,500 American.

Receipts, 1,000 bales, including 900 American. Futures opened dull and closed steady. March and April, 7.43; April and May, 7.43; May and June, 7.43; June and July, 7.39; July and August, 7.34½; August and September, 7.18; September and October, 6.84½; October and November, 6.71½; November and December, 6.67; December and January, 6.66½; January and February, 6.66.

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Alice L. Pendleton, 567 tons, Coombs, C. D. Maffitt.

Wm. Thos. Moore, 263 tons, Griffith, C. D. Maffitt.

Herald, 474 tons, Simmons, C. D. Maffitt.

Harry W. Haynes, 259 tons, Goodwin, C. D. Maffitt.

BY RIVER AND RAIL.

Receipts of Cotton and Naval Stores at Port of Wilmington Yesterday.

C. C. Railroad—40 bales cotton.

Atlantic Coast Line—155 bales cotton; 9 casks spirits turpentine; 92 barrels tar; 5 barrels crude turpentine.

Total—195 bales cotton; 9 casks spirits turpentine; 92 barrels tar; 5 barrels crude turpentine.

THE PRODUCE MARKET.

New York, March 30.—Flour, quiet and unsettled.

Rye Flour—Firm.

Corn Meal—Steady.

Buckwheat—Quiet.

Barley—Unsettled; malting, 1.15@1.19, c.i.f. New York.

Wheat—Spot, irregular; No. 2, red, 93¼, elevator, and 93⅜, f.o.b. afloat; futures, ¾c. higher; May, 94½; July, 94 7-16; September, 94⅞.

Corn—Spot, steady; export, No. 2, 52, f.o.b. afloat; futures closed ¼c. decline to ⅛ advance; May, 54½; July, 56⅛.

Oats—Spot, steady. Standard white, 36¼; futures, ¼@¼c. higher; May, 35¾; July, 36.

Cut Meats—Easy. Pickled hams, 11½@12.

Lard—Firm. Middle West, 8.40@8.70. Refined, steady; continent, 9.15; compound, quiet.

Cotton Seed Oil—Active and higher on firmer crude markets, improved demand for actual oil, buying for account of refiners, covering of shorts and professional bull support. Futures closed steady, 10@24 points net higher. April, 6.34@6.36; May, 6.30@6.40; June, 6.44@6.48; July, 6.48@6.50; August, 6.48@6.50; prime crude, 5.20@5.30; do. summer, white, 6.20@6.40.

Rosin, Turpentine, Molasses, Sugar, raw and refined—Steady.

Rice—Quiet.

Coffee—Futures, barely steady. Spot, quiet; Rio, No. 7, 12¼; Santos, No. 4, 13¾; mild, quiet; Cordova, 13¾@15¾, nominal.

Butter—Easier; creamery, 17@20.

Cheese—Easy and unchanged.

Eggs—Steadier. Fresh gathered, 16 1-2@18; Southern, 25@33.

Potatoes—Firm; unchanged.

Cabbages—Steady. Southern, new, per crate, 1.00@1.62.

Freights and Peanuts—Unchanged.

WILMINGTON MARKETS.

STAR OFFICE, March 30.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE—Market, steady at $1.04.

Rosin—Market, steady, $7.80 per barrel of 280 pounds.

TAR—Firm, $2.30 per barrel.

CRUDE TURPENTINE — Market, firm; $6.00 per barrel, for hard; $8.50 for dip; virgin, $9.25.

Quotations same day last year—Spirits turpentine, steady at 50¾; rosin, steady, at $3.75; tar, $2.00; crude turpentine, firm at $3.00, $4.50 and $3.75.

Spirits Turpentine	9
Rosin	(—)
Tar	92
Crude Turpentine	5

Receipts same day last year, 11 casks spirits turpentine; 97 barrels rosin; 247 barrels tar; 13 barrels crude turpentine.

COTTON MARKET.

Market—Nominal.

Same day last year, nominal.

Receipts—195 bales; same day last year, 628 bales.

PRODUCE MARKETS.

(Quoted by W. J. Meredith, March 25th.)

PEANUTS—Virginias, .90 to $1.00 per bu.; North Carolinas, $1.50@$1.60; Spanish, $1.15@$1.25.

CORN—Firm; .68 to .70 per bu.

PEAS—White black-eye, $2.50; white lady finger, $3.00; clay peas, $2.00 per bu.

POTATOES—Yams, 90 to $1.00 per bu.; Irish potatoes, 80@90 per bu.

BEEF—On foot, .03@.04 per lb.

PORK—Net, .00@.10 per lb.

WOOL—Burry, .12@.15 per lb.; free of burr, .18@.20 per lb.

HIDES—Green, .07 per lb.; dry, .12 per lb.

NORTH CAROLINA BACON—Hams, old, 16c. per lb.; sides and shoulders, 12 to 12½ per lb.

BEESWAX—Firm; .27 per lb.

TALLOW—Firm; .01½@.05 per lb.

POULTRY—Turkeys, on foot, 18c. per lb.; dressed, .20@.22 per lb. Chickens, grown, .40@.50 per head; Chickens, spring, .20@.35 per head. Geese, .60 per head.

EGGS—Dull, 16c. per doz.

SHEEP—Out of season.

Petersburg Peanut Market.

(Reported by Rodgers, McCabe & Co.)

Petersburg, Va., March 27.—Spanish—Firm, at $1.25 per bushel. Virginias—Quiet. Bunch, 4c. to 4¾c. per pound. Fancy Hand Picked, 3½ to 3¾c. per pound. Extra Prime, 3½ to 3⅝c. Prime, 3c.; Machine Picked, 3¼c. to 3½c.; Shelling Stock, 2½c.

NAVAL STORES.

New York, March 30.—Turpentine, steady.

Savannah, March 30.—Turpentine, firm, 1.02. Sales, 255; receipts, 442; shipments, 124; stocks, 2,037.

Rosin—Firm. Sales, 1,772; receipts, 803; shipments, 964; stocks, 32,060. Quote: B, 8.07½@8.35; D, 8.20@8.25; E, 8.30@8.40; F, 8.35@8.40; G, 8.37½@8.40; H, 8.40@8.45; K, 8.47½@; M, 8.47½; N, 8.55; W G, 8.55; W W, 8.55.

Charleston, March 30.—Turpentine and rosin, unchanged.

THE FINANCIAL MARKET.

New York, March 30.—Money on call, steady, at 2¼ to 2¾; ruling rate, 2⅝; closing bid, 2¼; offered at 2⅝. Time loans, easy. Sixty days, 2½@2¾ per cent.; ninety days, 2¾; six months, 3@3¼. Prime mercantile paper, 4@4½ per cent. Sterling exchange, steady, with actual business in bankers' bills at 4.84.10 for sixty-day bills, and at 4.85.95 for demand. Commercial bills, 4.83½. Bar silver, 52⅝; Mexican dollars, 45.

DRY GOODS MARKET.

New York, March 30.—Hope 4-4 bleached cottons were placed at value during the day, after large sales had been made. A fair export trade with China is still reported. The market was quiet, but generally steadier, during the day.

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DULL AND NARROW FOR STOCKS

Quotations of the Bulk of Stocks Barely Moved—Market Made Gains During Late Trading—Erie Common.

New York, March 30.—Quotations of the bulk of stocks barely moved throughout today's trading. The market was again dull and narrow, and the price level movement of the day was slightly below yesterday's close. Although the selling movement, which marked yesterday's operations was not resumed today, the trade believing that the sharp rise of the early part of the week had materially reduced the short interest, which has been a sustaining force. Prices stiffened late in the day, and the close showed net gains well scattered throughout the list. The conspicuous movements of the day were made by stocks, which usually do not figure among the leaders. London's purchases, which amounted to about 15,000 shares, were chiefly of the Erie common, which was also bought here by Montreal houses, giving rise to rumors coupling that property with Canadian Pacific. Coming events at Washington received more attention today, and were responsible to no small extent for the tone of the market. Renewed attention was called to conditions in the textile industry by the action of the directors of three New England mills, who, in one case, suspended dividends, and in the other two ordered cuts equalling 2 per cent. annually. Similar steps may be taken by other companies in the New England district, advices from Boston stated, with concurrent sharing of prices to jobbers and large distributors. The February report of the National Railways of Mexico showed that although the traffic has been interrupted there, to some extent, by the insurrections, earnings have not been seriously affected.

Bonds were steady. The Erie issues were notably strong. Total sales, par value, $3,301,000. United States government bonds were unchanged on call. Total sales for the day, 250,500 shares.

THE BOND MARKET.

U. S. ref. 2s, registered	101¼
U. S. ref. 2s, coupon	101¼
U. S. 3s, registered	101¾
U. S. 3s, coupon	101¾
U. S. 4s, registered	115
U. S. 4s, coupon	115¼
Allis-Chalmers 1st 5s	76⅝
American Agricultural 5s	101½
American Tel. and Tel. cv. 4s	108⅝
American Tobacco 4s	85⅜
American Tobacco 6s	107¼
Armour and Co. 4½s	92½
Atchison gen. 4s	98⅛
Atchison cv. 4s	110⅛
Atchison cv. 5s	111
Atlantic Coast Line 1st 4s	93⅜
Baltimore and Ohio 4s	98⅜
Baltimore and Ohio 3½s	92⅝
Baltimore and Ohio S. W. 3½s	90⅝
Brooklyn Transit cv. 4s	84½
Central of Georgia 5s	107¾
Central Leather 5s	99¼
Central R. R. of N. J. gen. 5s	122⅞
Chesapeake and Ohio 4½s	100⅜
Chesapeake and Ohio ref. 5s	96
Chicago and Alton 3½s	69½
Chicago, B. and Quincy joint 4s	95⅞
Chicago, B. and Quincy gen. 4s	97
Chicago, Mil. and St. P. gen. 3½s	92½
Chicago, R. I. and Pac. R. R. col. 4s	73⅜
Chic., R. I. and Pac. Ry. rfg. 4s	88⅝
Colorado Industrial 5s	75
Colorado Midland 4s	64⅞
Colo. and Southern ref. and ext. 4½s	98⅜
Delaware and Hudson cv. 4s	98⅜
Denver and Rio Grande 4s	92
Denver and Rio Grande ref. 5s	92½
Distillers' 5s	78½
Erie, prior lien 4s	85⅜
Erie gen. 4s	75⅜
Erie cv. 4s, series "A"	79⅜
Erie cv. 4s, series "B"	72½
General Electric cv. 5s	147½
Illinois Central 1st ref. 4s	93⅜
Interborough-Met. 4½s	78½
Inter. Merc. Marine 4½s	67
Japan 4s	88¼
Japan 4½s	93⅜
Kansas City Southern 1st 3s	73¼
Lake Shore deb. 4s (1931)	93⅛
Louisville and Nashville Un. 4s	98½
Missouri, Kan. and Texas 1st 4s	97
Mo., Kan. and Texas gen. 4½s	86¼
Missouri Pacific 4s	78¼
Nat. Rys. of Mexico, 4½s	93⅜
New York Central gen. 3½s	88
New York Central deb. 4s	93
N. Y., N. H. and Hartford cv. 6s	133¼
Norfolk and Western 1st con. 4s	98⅝
Norfolk and Western cv. 4s	108⅜
Northern Pacific 4s	99⅝
Northern Pacific 3s	71
Oregon Short Line rfdg. 4s	93¾
Penn. cv. 3½s (1915)	96⅝
Penn. con. 4s	103¼
Reading gen. 4s	97⅛
St. Louis and San Fran fg. 4s	81⅞
St. Louis and San Fran gen. 5s	87¼
St. Louis Southwestern con. 4s	78
St. Louis Southwestern 1st gold 4s	91
Seaboard Air Line 5s	75¾
Southern Pacific col. 4s	92¼
Southern Pacific cv. 4s	98
Southern Pacific R. R. 1st ref 4s	95¼
Southern Railway 5s	106⅜
Southern Railway gen. 4s	78½
Union Pacific 4s	100⅞
Union Pacific cv. 4s	104⅞
U. S. Rubber 6s	103⅜
U. S. Steel 2nd 5s	105⅜
Virginia-Carolina Chem. 5s	101⅜
Wabash 1st 5s	108⅛
Wabash 1st and ext. 4s	70½
Western Maryland 4s	86⅝
Westinghouse Electric cv. 5s	92½
Wisconsin Central 4s	92⅝

CLOSING STOCK LIST.

Allis-Chalmers, pfd	34½
Amalgamated Copper	63¾
American Agricultural	57¼
American Beet Sugar	44⅛
American Can	9⅝
American Car and Foundry	53½
American Cotton Oil	59⅝
American Hide and Leather, pfd	23
American Ice Securities	24⅜
American Linseed	11
American Locomotive	37¼
American Smelting and Refining	75½
American Smelting and Refining, pfd	104⅞
American Steel Foundries	47
American Sugar Refining	118⅜
American Tel and Tel	147⅛
American Tobacco, pfd	97½
American Woolen	32¼
Anaconda Mining Co	38¼
Atchison	110⅛
Atchison, pfd	102⅝
Atlantic Coast Line	119½
Baltimore and Ohio	103¼
Bethlehem Steel	31¼
Brooklyn Rapid Transit	78
Canadian Pacific	223¾
Central Leather	29
Central Leather, pfd	99½
Central of New Jersey	284
Chesapeake and Ohio	81⅜
Chicago and Alton	30
Chicago Great Western	21¼
Chicago Great Western, pfd	44
Chicago and North Western	145
Chicago, Mil. and St. Paul	121⅞
C., C., C. and St. Louis	93
Colorado Fuel and Iron	31½
Colorado and Southern	52½
Consolidated Gas	145½
Corn Products	14½
Delaware and Hudson	167
Denver and Rio Grande	31
Denver and Rio Grande, pfd	71⅜
Distillers' Securities	35⅜
Erie	31⅛
Erie, 1st pfd	49⅞
Erie, 2nd pfd	39⅜
General Electric	148¾
Great Northern, pfd	127½
Great Northern Ore Ctfs	62⅜
Illinois Central	138
Interborough-Met	18⅞
Interborough-Met. pfd	53⅜
Inter Harvester	118¾
Inter Marine, pfd	17⅝
International Paper	10⅝
International Pump	40⅜
Iowa Central	16¼
Kansas City Southern	34¼
Kansas City Southern, pfd	66⅜
Laclede Gas	103⅝
Louisville and Nashville	145
Minneapolis and St. Louis	23
Min., St. P. and Sault Ste Marie	151⅜
Missouri, Kansas and Texas	34
Missouri, Kansas and Texas, pfd	60
Missouri Pacific	52¾
National Biscuit	133
National Lead	53½
Nat. Rys of Mexico, 2nd pfd	35
New York Central	106⅝
New York, Ontario and Western	42⅛
Norfolk and Western	108⅛
North American	71
Northern Pacific	124¼
Pacific Mail	24
Pennsylvania	126¼
People's Gas	107⅝
Pittsburg, C. C. and St. Louis	97
Pittsburg Coal	21⅜
Pressed Steel Car	33
Pullman Palace Car	150
Railway Steel Spring	34
Reading	157
Republic Steel	33¼
Republic Steel, pfd	97½
Rock Island Co	29⅝
Rock Island Co., pfd	50¾
St. Louis and San Fran., 2nd pfd	42
St. Louis Southwestern	31½
St. Louis Southwestern, pfd	66½
Sloss-Sheffield Steel and Iron	52
Southern Pacific	118
Southern Railway	27⅛
Southern Railway, pfd	64¾
Tennessee Copper	38⅜
Texas and Pacific	28½
Toledo, St. Louis and Western	21
Toledo, St. Louis and Western, pfd	50
Union Pacific	178
Union Pacific, pfd	93½
United States Realty	73
United States Rubber	42¾
United States Steel	78⅞
United States Steel, pfd	119½
Utah Copper	44¾
Virginia-Carolina Chemical	66½
Wabash	17
Wabash, pfd	38⅜
Western Maryland	30
Westinghouse Electric	96⅝
Western Union	73½
Wheeling and Lake Erie	4½

THE GRAIN MARKET.

Chicago, March 30.—Green bugs alleged to be affecting wheat were given much credit today for rallying the market here. Most of the buying, though, was on the part of successful bear speculators, who were busy taking profits. Closing prices were steady, at 5⅝@⅞c. advance over last night. Corn finished with a gain of ¼ to ⅝@½; oats, up ¼ to ⅜, and provisions varying from unchanged to 17½ higher.

Wheat—No. 2, 86@87½; No. 3, red, 85@89½; No. 2, hard, 86½@88; No. 3, hard, 85@87; No. 1, northern, 96@98; No. 2, northern, 95@97; No. 3, northern, 94@96; No. 2, spring, 88@95; No. 3, spring, 88@94; velvet chaff, 98@91; durum, 82@87.

Corn—No. 2, 47; No. 2, white, 47@47½; No. 2, yellow, 47@47½; No. 3, 44½@45½; oNo. 3, white, 44½@45½; No. 3, yellow, 45@45½; No. 4, 42½@43; No. 4, white, 42½@43; No. 4, yellow, 43@43½.

Oats—No. 2, 30; No. 2, white, 31½@32; No. 3, white, 30½@31¼; No. 4, 30@31; standard, 31@31½.

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Wheat:	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
May	86⅞	87½	86	86⅞
July	87	87⅜	86⅞	87⅜
Sept	87½	88	87⅜	87⅝
Corn:				
May	47⅜	47⅝	47½	47⅜
July	49¾	49⅞	49¾	49½
Sept	50½	50⅞	50⅜	50⅝
Oats:				
May	30¼	30½	30¼	30⅜
July	30⅝	31	30⅜	30⅞
Sept	30⅝	31⅛	30⅜	31⅛
Mess Pork, per bbl.:				
May	15.17½	15.45	15.07½	15.40
July	14.95	15.25	14.90	15.22½
Lard, per 100 lbs.:				
May	8.30	8.45	8.30	8.42½
July	8.30	8.42½	8.25	8.40
Sept	8.25	8.37½	8.25	8.37½
Short Ribs, per 100 lbs.:				
May	8.65	8.77½	8.62½	8.75
July	8.22½	8.30	8.15	8.35
Sept	8.22½	8.30	8.05	8.20

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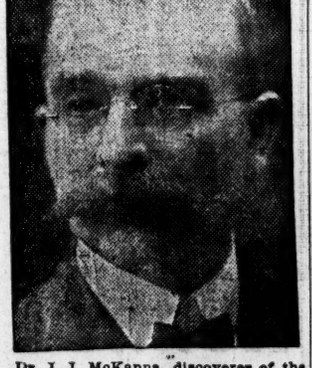

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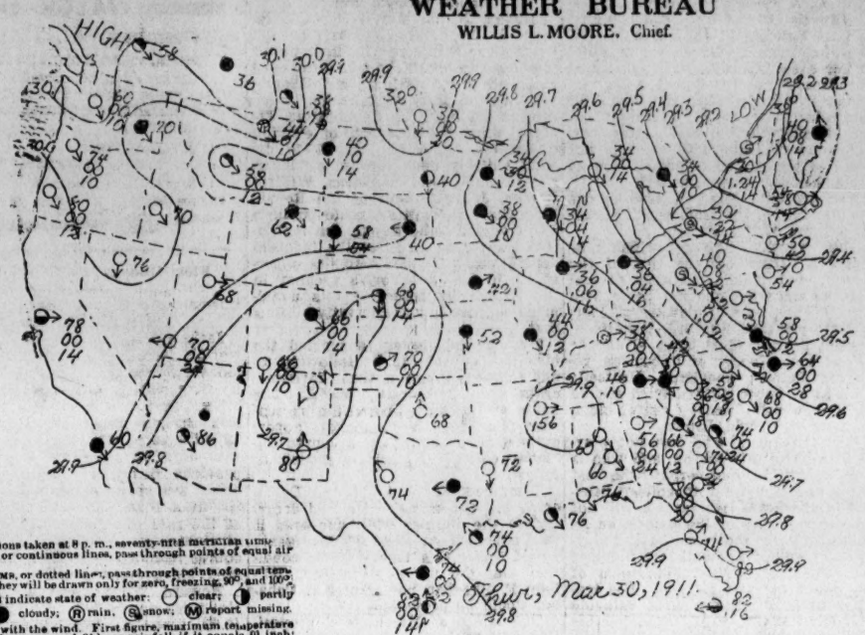
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Observations taken at 8 p. m., seventy-fifth meridian time.
ISOBARS, or continuous lines, pass through points of equal air pressure.
ISOTHERMS, or dotted lines, pass through points of equal temperature; they will be drawn only for zero, freezing, 90°, and 100°.
SYMBOLS indicate state of weather: clear; partly cloudy; cloudy; (R) rain, (S) snow, (M) report missing.
Arrows fly with the wind. First figure, maximum temperature for past 12 hours; second, 24-hour rainfall, if it equals .01 inch; third, wind velocity of 10 miles per hour or more.
Hour, Mar 30, 1911.

THE WEATHER

United States Department of Agriculture—Weather Bureau.

Wilmington, N. C., March 31, 1911.

Meteorological data for the 24 hours ending 8 P. M., Thursday, March 30:

Temperature at 8 A. M. 55 degrees; 8 P. M. 51 degrees; maximum 68 degrees; minimum 51 degrees; mean 60 degrees.

Rainfall for the day, .00; for the month 3.95 inches.

Stage of water in Cape Fear river, at Fayetteville at 8 A. M., Thursday 3.4 feet.

Weather Forecast.

For North Carolina—Generally fair Friday and probably Saturday, moderate to brisk northwest winds diminishing.

Port Calendar—March 31.

Sun Rises	6:01 A. M.
Sun Sets	6:32 P. M.
Day's Length	12 hrs. 31 min.
High water at Southport	8:48 P. M.
High water at Wilmington	11:48 P. M.

WEATHER BUREAU REPORTS.

March 30, 1911.

STATIONS.	Weather at 8 P. M.	Temperature: Highest Today.	Temperature: Lowest last night.	24-hour precipitation, 8 P. M.
Asheville	cloudy	42	32	.10
Atlanta	clear	56	48	.0
Charleston	pt. cloudy	74	54	.0
Charlotte	clear	56	44	.0
Chicago	cloudy	36	30	.06
Galveston	pt. cloudy	74	66	.0
Jacksonville	clear	80	56	.0
New Orleans	pt. cloudy	76	56	.0
New York	clear	50	40	.42
Pittsburg	snowing	40	34	.08
Raleigh	clear	58	44	.02
St. Louis	cloudy	44	32	.0
Washington	clear	52	40	.01

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A. & M. BASEBALL.

Season Now Well Under Way—Y. M. C. A. Campaign Booming.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

West Raleigh, N. C., March 30.—A. & M. has made a very successful start in her baseball season this year, having already met and defeated the two teams which defeated the Red and White last year, namely, Amherst and the Philadelphia Nationals. However, the game with the Phillies does not count in the record of games won at the end of the season, as only college games are considered in figuring out the standing of the team with the other colleges of the State.

The 'varsity line-up, which now seems a fixture for the rest of the season, and which contains several changes since the opening game with Trinity Park, is as follows: catcher, Seifert; pitchers, Stafford, Robertson, Tucker, Jaynes; first base, Williams; second base, Tucker or Robertson, replacing Patton; shortstop, Hartsell; third base, Speer, shifted from second base; left field, Ross; center field, Farmer; right field, Brown.

Capt. Freeman, who has not played in a game this season, and who is a veteran fielder and perhaps the best hitter and run-getter in college baseball in the State last season, will not take part in any of the games, as he is ineligible for the team, having played in organized baseball last Summer with the Jacksonville, Fla., team of the South tAlantic League. His inability to play takes a most valuable man from the A. & M. team, but his position is being ably filled by Farmer, a Freshman who played last year with Oak Ridge.

Friday Swarthmore College, of Pennsylvania, a new team on A. & M.'s baseball schedule, will be played in Raleigh, and Saturday the first of the series of three games with Wake Forest will be played at Wake Forest. Monday Davidson will be played on the local grounds. Thursday the team will leave for Columbia to play the University of South Carolina on Friday, and Saturday Davidson will be played in Charlotte.

Tuesday night, preparatory to launching the Y. M. C. A. building campaign for A. & M., a special supper was served in the college dining room to all of the students of the college and to the members of the faculty and about 20 prominent men of Raleigh. Rousing speeches were made by Josephus Daniels, of the News and Observer; E. B. Crew, cashier of the Commercial National Bank; Dr. T. W. O'Kelly, pastor of the First Baptist Church; John T. Pullen, president of the Raleigh Savings Bank; Col. F. A. Olds, of the Chamber of Commerce and Industry, and Merchants Association; Z. V. Judd, superintendent of public instruction of Wake county; Prof. Withers, of the College, who read letters from Gov. Woodrow Wilson and President Venable, of the State University, extolling the great value of a Y. M. C. A. building to a college; Dr. A Rudy, and others. Vice President W. C. Riddick acted as master of ceremonies.

The report of the two student campaign managers held at noon today showed already $875 raised among the students last night and this morning. The "White" side, managed by Graeme Ross, was in the lead at this meeting, reporting $450. The "Reds", are managed by Geo. R. Ross. The progress of the campaign so far, and the spirit of loyalty to the college with which it is being carried on, augurs well for the success of the campaign.

ZEPPELIN'S LATEST AIRSHIP.

Successful Maiden Flight of Famous Aeronaut's Newest Model.

Friedrichshaven, Germany, March 30.—Count Zeppelin's new airship made a successful maiden flight today.

The craft replaces the passenger airship Deutschland, the highest developed of all the famous aeronaut's models, which, after a few thrilling exhibitions, came to grief amid the fir trees of the Teutoburgian forest on June 28th last.

The motors and the vertical steering planes of the Deutschland were saved from the wreck and utilized in the construction of her successor.

EQUALIZE TAXATION.

Charleston Has Entered Upon Old and Difficult Problem.

Charleston, S. C., March 30.—In the effort to equalize the burden of taxation in Charleston, the county board of equalization has reached the decision to increase values in several of the wards so as to place real estate upon the 50 per cent. basis of the other sections of the city. Assessments of property along the water front were previously increased. Real estate values generally are much higher here and the board is striving for fair proportions.

DANVILLE LAD VICTIM.

Crushed to Death Under Tree While Cutting Timber.

Danville, Va., March 30.—Mortimer Boaz, the 18-year-old son of a prominent farmer of Pittsylvania county, was instantly killed today by a large tree which fell on him while he was engaged in cutting timber on his father's farm at their home in Swansonville.

Young Boaz was sawing the tree when it crashed to the earth, blown by a sudden gust of wind, crushing the life out of him and mangling his body.

FULL OF GALL STONES.

Remarkable Case of Electrical Inventor at Richmond, Va.

Richmond, Va., March 29.—Surgeons express amazement at the case of W. F. Jenkins, electrical inventor, from whom exactly 6,184 gall stones were removed from an operation last night. Dr. Stuart MacLean and a nurse spent two and a half hours today, counting the gravel, which ranged from the smallest to the largest sized stones yet known.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Honuet—Paying the Price.
Tidewater Power Co.—Notice.
Academy of Music—Miss Ruth Grey.
Globe Restaurant—That Is My Business.
Atlantic Trust & Banking Co.—Money in the Bank.

Business Locals.

Wanted—Rooms.
To Shippers—Notice.
Thomas & Co.—Store Closed.
Tidewater Power Co.—Notice.
Henry Mumford—Cows for Sale.
W. M. Cumming—Umbrella Lost.
Home Missionary Auxiliary—Lingerie Sale.

NEW YORK SENATORSHIP.

Insurgent Democrats Have the Whip Hand—Today's Work.

Albany, N. Y., March 30.—The insurgent Democratic members of the Legislature will have it in their power tomorrow to break the senatorial dead lock, either by setting their differences with the party organization, or accepting aid from the Republicans. Tonight, when the prospects of electing a Senator tomorrow seemed to depend entirely upon how many insurgents would enter a caucus, William Barnes, Jr., chairman of the Republican State Committee, made public a letter advising the Republican legislative leaders to give "to the independent Democratic members the opportunity to fill New York's vacancy in the Senate by tendering its unanimous support to a conservative Democrat."

Mr. Barnes' letter supported the idea that gained rapidly following today's abortive caucus, that the Democrats were hopelessly divided. The name of the next United States senator from New York tonight apparently depends upon which course the "independent" Democrats choose to follow.

Tomorrow at 10 A. M. the Democrats will caucus behind closed doors. Before the Barnes letter appeared it was expected at least 15 insurgents would enter this morning—on condition that the names of neither William F. Sheehan nor Daniel F. Cohalan would be presented.

The effect of Mr. Barnes' proposition will be indicated by the number of insurgents who enter the caucus. If 15 join the organization members in making a caucus nomination, their candidate will have enough votes for election. Unless the organization offers acceptable terms it is enough insurgents to insure an election are ready to join the Republicans in ending the deadlock.

The transfer of lists of acceptable candidates between the insurgents and the organization continued today.

After numerous eliminations the fare said to have remained as possible candidates:

Martin W. Littleton, John B. Kernon, Martin H. Glynn, Isadore Strauss, Herman Ridder, Alton B. Parker, Morgan J. O'Brien, Augustus VanWyck, D-Cady Herrick and John N. Carlisle.

In his letter Barnes says that the senatorial situation has reached a stage where it seems that, as chairman of the State committee, he is called upon to express to the Republican members of the Legislature what seems to be their obvious patriotic duty. He continues that, in view of the call for an extra session of Congress, the grave consideration that the State of New York has in the matters which will come before that session, and the fact that it must be clearly known that no senator can be elected by the Democratic majority, the Republican minority "in the performance of its public duty, under the constitution, should give to the independent Democratic members of the Legislature, if any there are, the opportunity to fill New York's vacancy in the Senate by tendering its unanimous support to a conservative Democrat for the office of United States Senator."

EDGAR STRIPLING'S CASE.

Will be Considered by Prison Commission on April 6th.

Atlanta, March 30.—Announcement was made today that the application for pardon filed by Edgar Stripling, the Harris county slayer, who was recently re-captured at Danville, Va., after 14 years' freedom, will be taken up by the prison commission April 6th. Stripling was serving as chief of police of Danville under the name of Morris when re-arrested and bore a good reputation. Great interest has been aroused in his case.

Nominating Petition for J. A. McNorton, Councilman from Fourth Ward.

The undersigned duly qualified electors of the City of Wilmington, North Carolina, and residing at the places set opposite our respective names hereto, do hereby request that the name of John A McNorton, be placed on the ballot for nomination for Councilman at the primary election to be held in the City of Wilmington, N. C., on Tuesday, the 18th day of April, 1911.

We further state that we know him to be a qualified elector of said city, in the Fourth Ward, and a man of good moral character, and qualified in our judgment for the duties of such office.

Names of qualified electors, with street and number:

D. M. McIntosh, 507 Orange; E. T. Huggins, 101 N. Sixth; B. J. Jacobs, 809 Orange; T. R. Post, 108 N. Seventh; J. L. Hazelhurst, 506 Grace; H. T. Newland, 115 Ann; G. H. James, 413 Wooster; M. J. Dauer, 107 N. Fourth; W. S. Clough, 312 N. Second; C. D. O'Neal, No. 1 Postoffice Avenue, A. T. Parker, 410 Queen; W. R. Hull, 414 1-2 Queen; E. L. Hart, 911 Market; W. A. McGirt, 206 Grace; Leon Corbett, 209 Walnut; W. Z. Corbett, 209 Walnut; W. F. Corbett, 209 Walnut; W. R. Taylor, 209 Walnut; R. G. Davis, 315 Seventh; P. Heinsberger, Jr., 807 Ann; Robt. F. Coleman, [illegible] S. Second; Fred G. Rose, 209 Chesnut; L. B. Rogers, 208 N. Fourth; W. W. Love, 514 Dock; H. A. Huggins, 412 Market; W. R. Hartsfield, 115 S. Sixth; W. A. Whitney, 224 N. Seventh; J. B. Rice, 15 N. Fifth; I. W. Cooper, 312 N. Fourth; E. O. Penny, 215 S. Eighth; A. C. Boney, 309 Fifth; H. E. Boney, 309 N. Fifth; Jos. H. Watters, 110 Orange; C. C. Covington, 519 Grace; G. J. Boney, 110 Grace; J. B. Huntington, 220 N. Fourth; H. G. Lowden, 319 Chesnut; J. B. Orrell, 210 N. Ninth; R. F. Brown, 810 Chesnut; E. D. Craig, 605 Queen; B. M. Hill, 713 S. Fourth; J. D. Harrington, 1103 N. Third; G. T. Keen, 117 S. Ninth; T. W. Brown, 903 N. Fourth; W. H. Best, 324 S. Fourth; P. L. Page, 408 Brunswick; J. W. Peterson, 208 Harnett; G. W. Godwin, 303 [illegible]aden; C. D. Tew, 206 Harnett; C. C. Harris, 513 Hanover; C. D. Reaves, 910 N. Third; Wm. Opper, 1518 Market; C. E. Haskett, 414 Chesnut; R. T. Sinclair, 617 Dock; C. S. Britt, 709 N. Fifth; W. J. Swails, 2 Wrightsville Avenue; S. P. Raines, 709 Grace; N. B. Futrell, 419 S. Front; J. B. Livingston, 301 N. Second; G. A. Mauney, 213 Grace; G. W. Shepard, 211 Harnett; C. B. Newcombe, 507 Princess; W. D. Weathersbee, 707 Grace; A. T. Summey, 23 S. Second.

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RECORDS AT AUTO MEET.

Burman and Wilcox Leaders In Yesterday's Events.

Jacksonville, March 30.—Two new world's records were made at the Atlantic-Pablico Beach automobile race meeting today. Driving his Buick "Bug," in the twenty-mile free-for-all Bob Burman drove the 20 miles in 13 minutes, 11.92 seconds, or at hte rate of 91.06 miles an hour. The previous record for more than ten miles was made at Daytona by Lancia in a Fiat. He covered 15 miles at the rate of 90 miles an hour on a straight-away course. Burman's course included two turns, which lowered his average greatly.

Howard Wilcox sent a National stock car across the mile distance in 40.32 seconds, establishing a new world's record for stock cars and lowering the mark of 40.35 seconds made by Barney Oldfield at Daytona last year.

The five-mile chassis event for the cars 301 to 405 cubic inches piston displacement was another victory that Wilcox added to his list of laurels. His time of 3.56.82 is faster than was ever driven by a car of that class.

Bob Burman, driving the "Blitzen" Benz, captured the $1,000 cash prize offered for the fastest mile, going the distance in 30.25 seconds over a very rough beach.

A ten-mile race for cars under 600 cubic inches piston displacement kept the spectators on their feet during the last two miles of the event. Disbrow in the Pope-Hartford, was the winner with Wilcox in the National a close second.

CHIEF CLERK IS INDICTED.

Atlanta Man Charged With "Padding" Expense Account.

Atlanta, Ga., March 30.—John J. Blodgett, chief clerk of the Atlanta office of the railway mail service, was indicted today by a Federal grand jury for "padding" his expense accounts. It is charged that Blodgett turned in hotel bills which he had never contracted and kept the money. The illegal vouchers are alleged to have been made out in Montgomery, Birmingham, New Orleans, Greensboro and Charlotte. The sum involved is only a few hundred dollars.

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THE HOME MISSIONARY Auxiliary of the First Presbyterian church invite the public to attend a sale of lingerie at Mrs. Kenan's residence, 202 South Third st, Friday, March 31st, at 3:30 o'clock. mh31-1t*

WANTED—Two rooms with board, or three or four rooms furnished or unfurnished, for light housekeeping. References exchanged. Box 533, City. mh31-1t*

NOTICE — Applicants for positions in the train service of the Tidewater Power Co. will please apply at the transportation office, 105 Princess street (over Junction Restaurant) Monday, April 3rd, between the hours of 3 and 4 P. M. Tidewater Power Co. mh31-1t

I HAVE LOST or misplaced my umbrella. Name plate on handle. Please return to 115 Church street, or 108 Princess street. W. M. Cumming. mh31-1t

OUR STORE will be closed this (Friday) afternoon, to take stock. Thomas & Co., 525 N. Fourth street. mh31-1t

FOR SALE — Two Jersey cows, with young calves; pure bred. Apply at 1120 Dock street. Henry Mumford. mh31-2t*

NOTICE TO SHIPPERS and receivers of cargoes for the port of Wilmington: On account of the recent rules and regulations adopted by the Secretary of War, not allowing tug boats to tow more than one vessel at a time on the Cape Fear river, the towage rates will be increased from 22c. to 25c. per gross ton from sea to sea. To take effect on and after April 15th, 1911. (Signed) Diamond Steamboat & Wrecking Co., E. D. Williams, Mgr.; Wilmington Towing Co., R. R. Stone, Pres. mh31-1,su-2t

BREAD, CAKES AND PIES—We have the largest wholesale bakery in the State. Special attention to out of town orders. Write for our prices. Farris' Bakery, 109 South Front st.; P. O. Box 480. mh26-1mo

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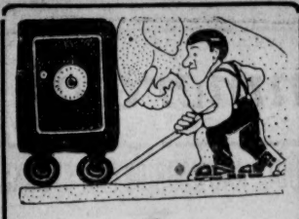

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